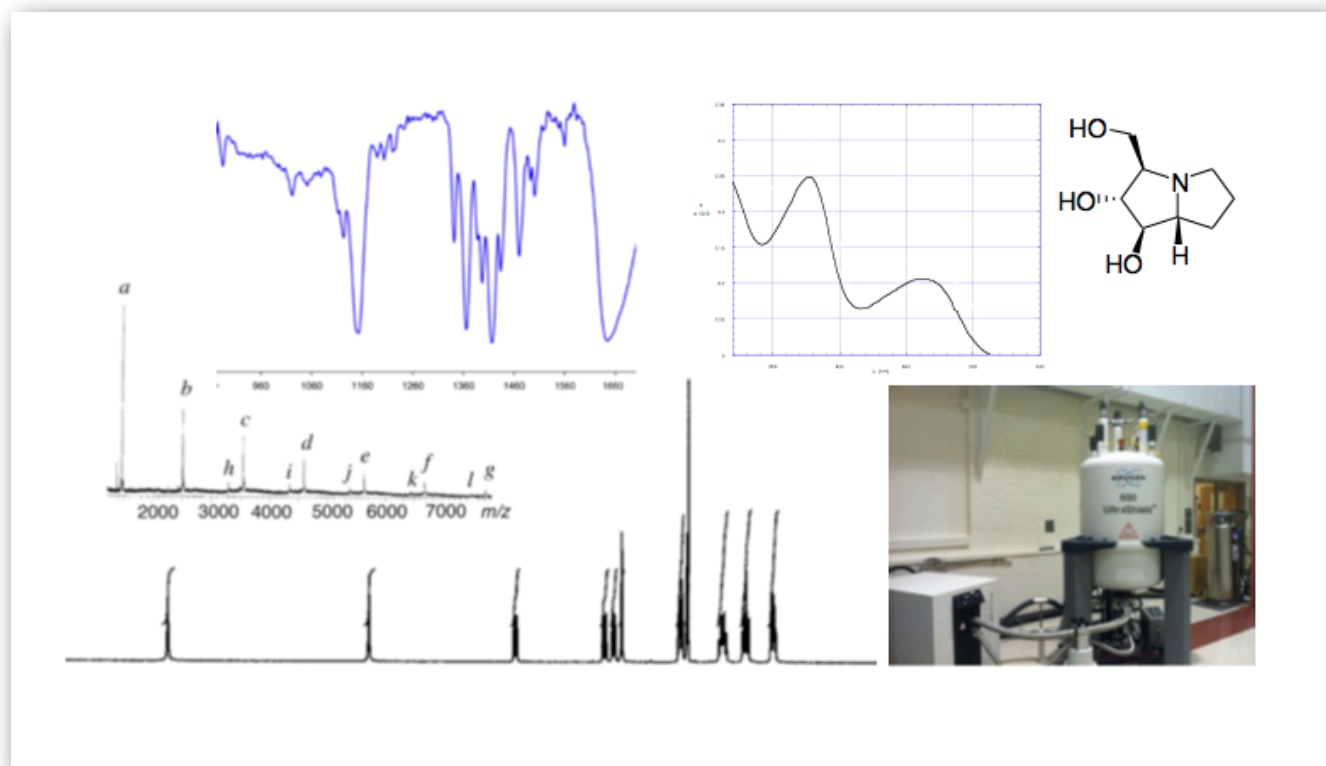


# Chem 333

## Organic Spectroscopic Structure Determination & Organic Lab for Majors



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Lectures are held in Wolf 100, Mondays 3:35–5:35 pm

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# syllabus

Course:

<http://www.udel.edu/chem/fox/Chem333/Fall2013/Chem333Fall2013/Welcome.html>

Laboratory:

<https://sakai.udel.edu/portal/site/4d966bd4-c04b-4b73-97fd-df1989cdb2fc>

## Lab

The director of the organic teaching laboratories is Dr. Geoffrey Sametz [sametz@UDel.Edu](mailto:sametz@UDel.Edu)

QUESTIONS ABOUT THE LABORATORY SHOULD BE DIRECTED TO DR. SAMETZ

The laboratory syllabus can be found here:

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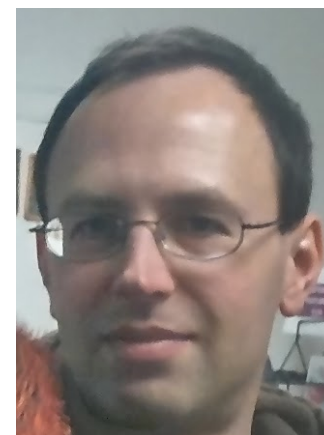
You Must Have Safety Goggles

No Shorts

No Open Toed Shoes

No Food or Drink

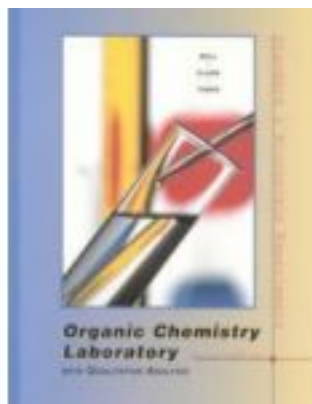
Come Prepared, Read the Assignment, and Bring your Notebook



# Books

Bring em  
To class

“lab manual”



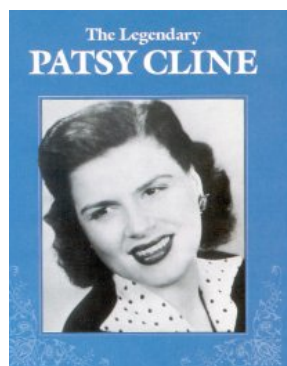
If you are  
taking lab  
Section 010

“Spec book”



or

If you are in  
section 011 and  
NOT taking lab



Chapters 11-14 are available as handout and  
have been uploaded to website



## **clickers**

Either generation of clickers (gen 1 or 2) will work for this class.

## **grading**

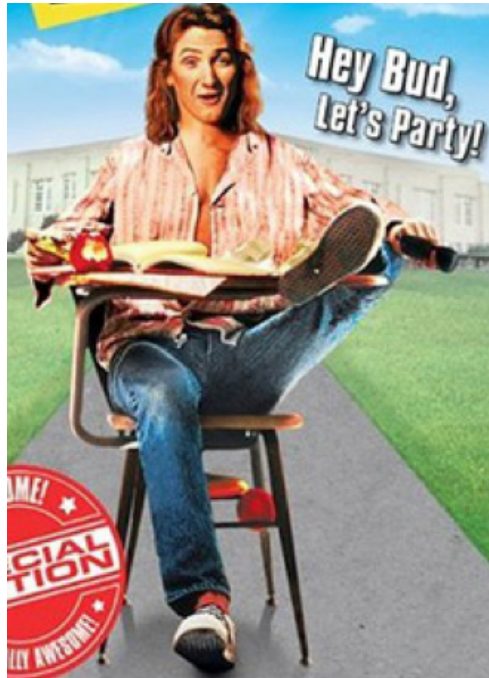
Grading for the lecture part of this course will be determined based on the average (50% each) of a midterm and final exam.

Midterm will be in class on 10/21

Final will be during finals week

## Chem 333 lecture : only 1 credit for all of this work?

- take it easy?



- essential information for Chem 331, and 333/334 next semester

## Upcoming Lecture schedule

Lecture 1: Introduction to Structure Determination by Spectroscopy; IHD and  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR spectroscopy.

READ: Chapter 12 in Bell, Clark and Taber or Chapter 1 in Organic Spectroscopic Structure Determination

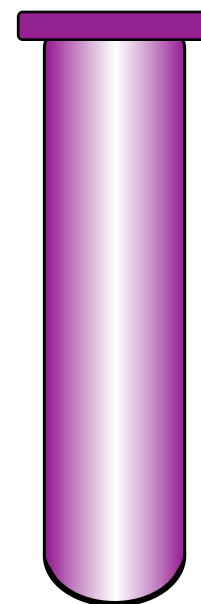
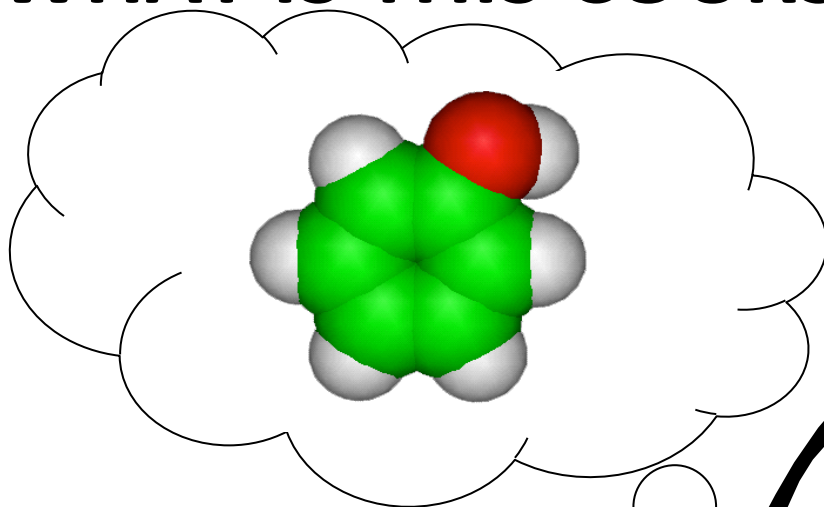
HANDOUT:  $^{13}\text{C}$  LECTURE NOTES,  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR TABLES

PROBLEMS: Complete end of chapter 12 problems 1–10 from Bell, Clark and Taber  
Answers

Lecture 2 (9/16): Problem Solving with  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR spectroscopy (**note: video link will be posted**)

PROBLEMS: Complete end of chapter 12 problems 11–20 from Bell, Clark and Taber  
Answers

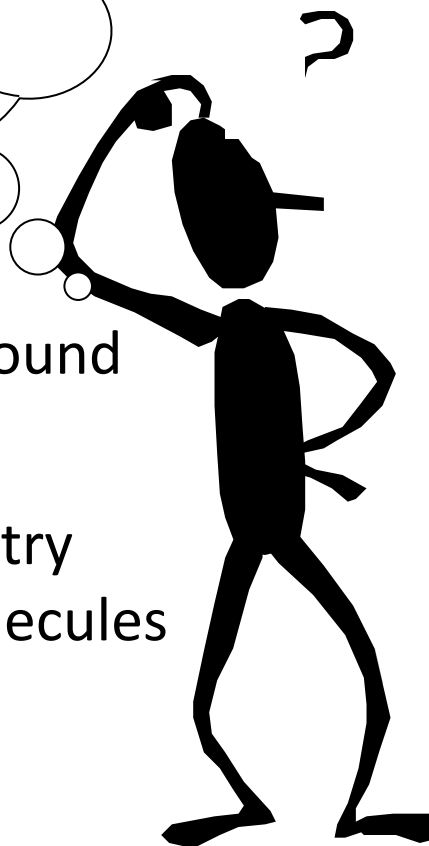
# WHAT IS THIS COURSE ABOUT??



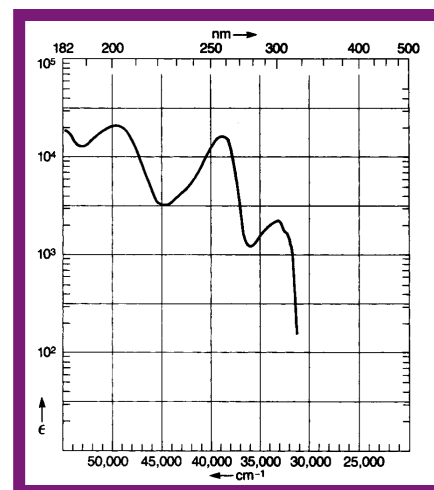
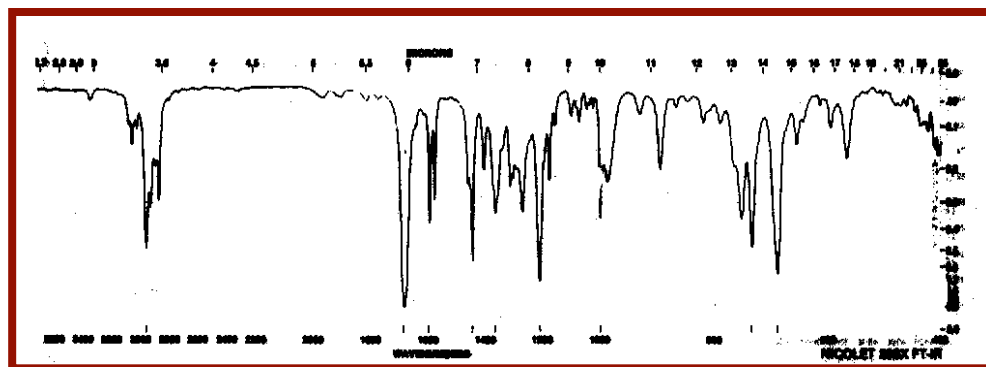
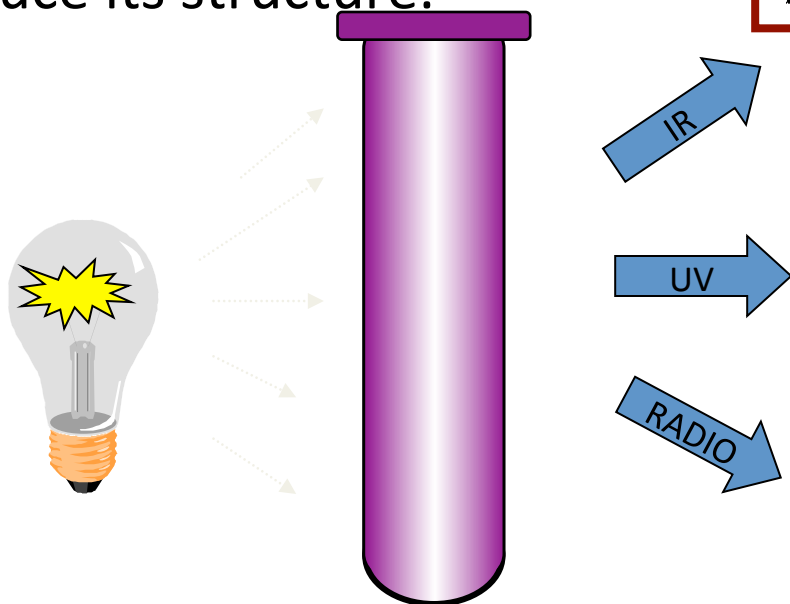
How can you figure out what compound you have?

You can't see molecules but chemistry allows you to imagine what the molecules look like!

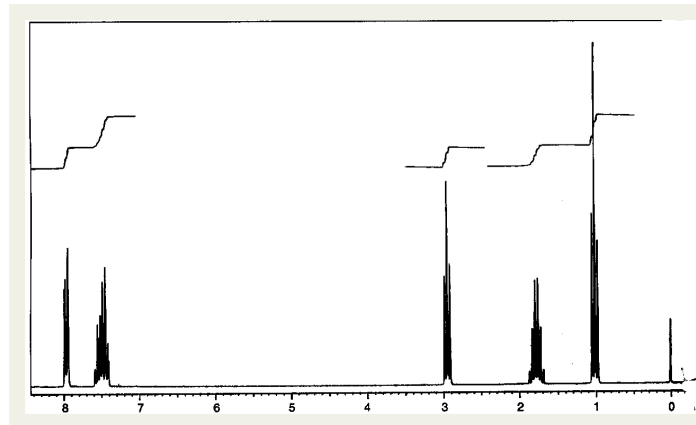
**HOW DO YOU "SEE" MOLECULES**



By shining light through samples, we can learn about the molecular structure of the sample and (sometimes) deduce its structure.



By the end of this course you will be able to interpret these light absorbing properties of molecules and deduce molecular structures!

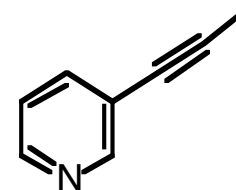
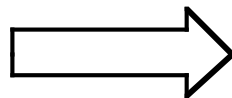
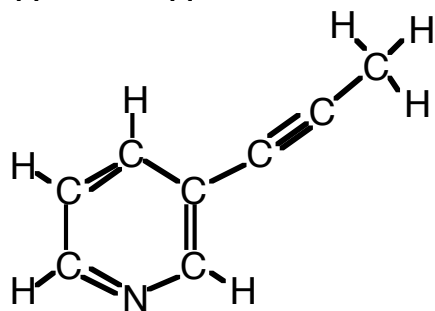
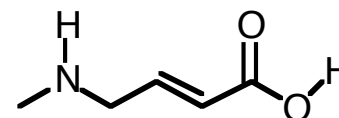
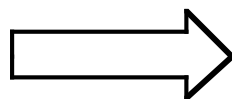
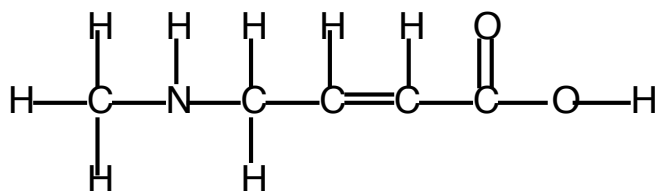


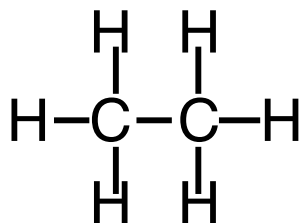
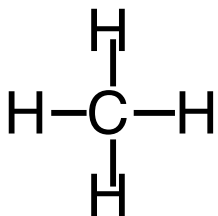
Basics:

# Bond-Line Formulas

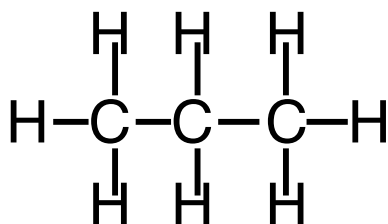
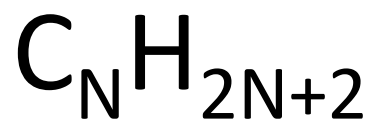
*We will quickly be using bond-line formulas, an organic chemists shorthand for molecular structures, to represent molecular structures. It is imperative that you learn to read and draw bond line formulas too.*

(hint: O likes 2 bonds; N likes 3 bonds)

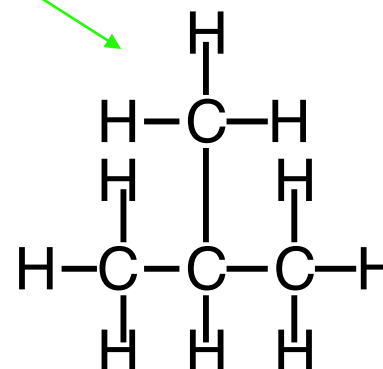
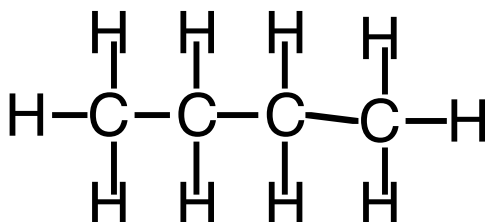




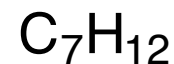
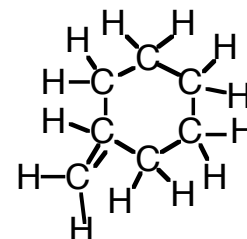
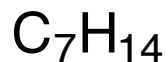
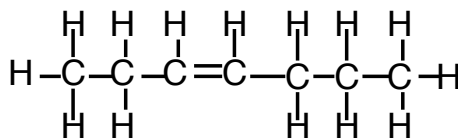
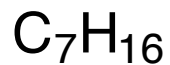
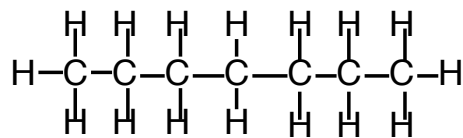
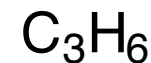
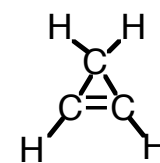
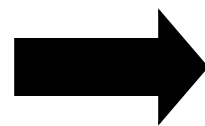
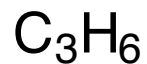
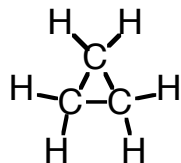
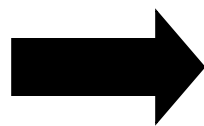
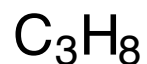
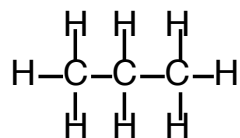
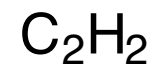
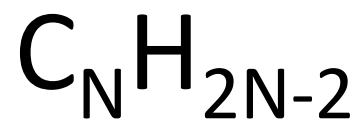
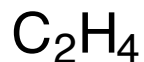
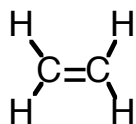
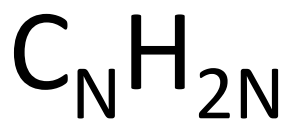
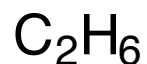
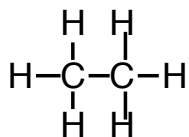
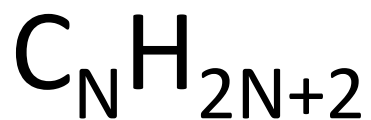
Saturated alkanes (CH only compounds) have the general formula:



*Note: it doesn't matter how the atoms are configured:*







**Two less hydrogens per double bond or ring!**

The molecular formula can tell you about the structure:

FORMULA TELLS US THE NUMBER OF DOUBLE BONDS OR RINGS:

IHD = index of hydrogen deficiency.

a.k.a. Degree of unsaturation.

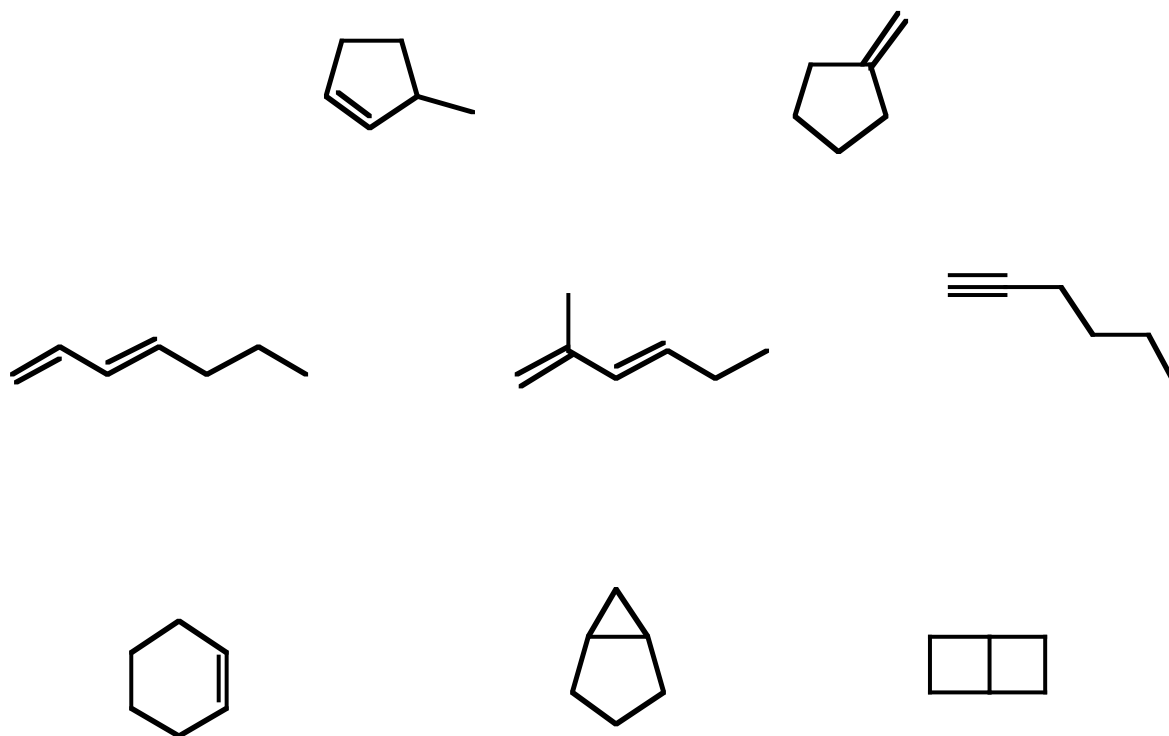
For  $C_NH_Y$

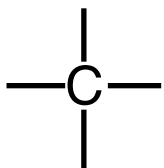
$$\text{IHD} = \frac{[2N+2]-Y}{2}$$

Example: C<sub>6</sub>H<sub>10</sub>

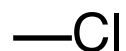
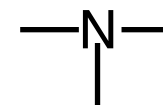
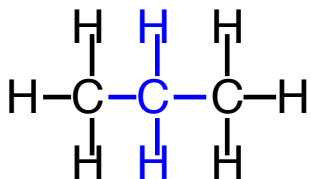
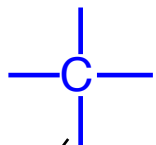
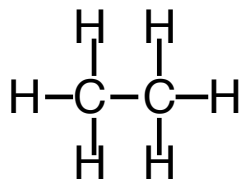
$$\text{IHD} = \frac{[(6 \times 2) + 2] - 10}{2} = \frac{4}{2} = 2$$

- Two double bonds
- Two rings
- One triple bonds
- One double bond plus one ring





For each Carbon (valence =4) you add to a structure requires the addition of two more Hydrogens



X =

Oxygen (valence = 2) can be added into a structure without changing the number of hydrogens

Each added nitrogen (valence =3) requires one additional hydrogen

Each halogen (valence = 1), takes the place of a hydrogen

For  $C_N H_Y XON$

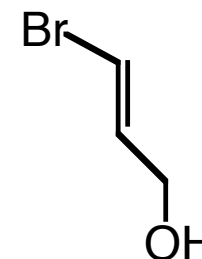
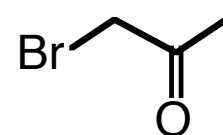
$$\text{IHD} = \frac{[2N+2]-Y-(\# \text{halogens})+(\# \text{Ns})}{2}$$

Example:



$$\text{IHD} = \frac{[(3 \times 2)+2]-5-1}{2}$$

IHD = 1

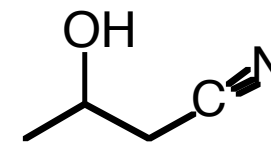
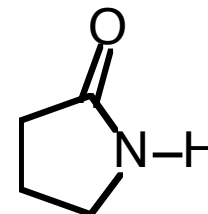


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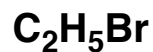
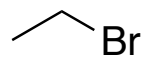
$$\text{IHD} = \frac{[(4 \times 2)+2]-7+1}{2}$$

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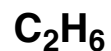
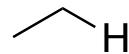


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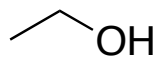
halogens (I, Br, Cl, F): give an H



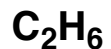
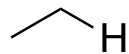
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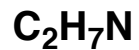
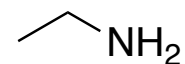
oxygen family (O, S, Se): no effect on IHD



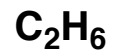
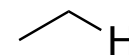
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nitrogen family (N, P): take an H



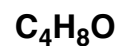
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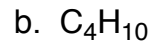
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Not in your handout  
But I will post it tonight

## Clicker questions

*has same IHD as as*



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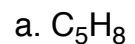
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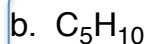
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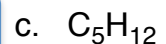
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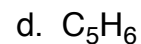
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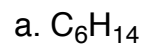
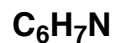
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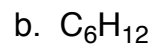
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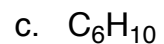
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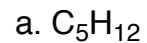
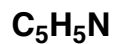
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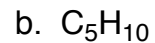
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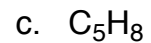
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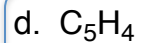
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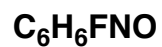
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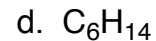
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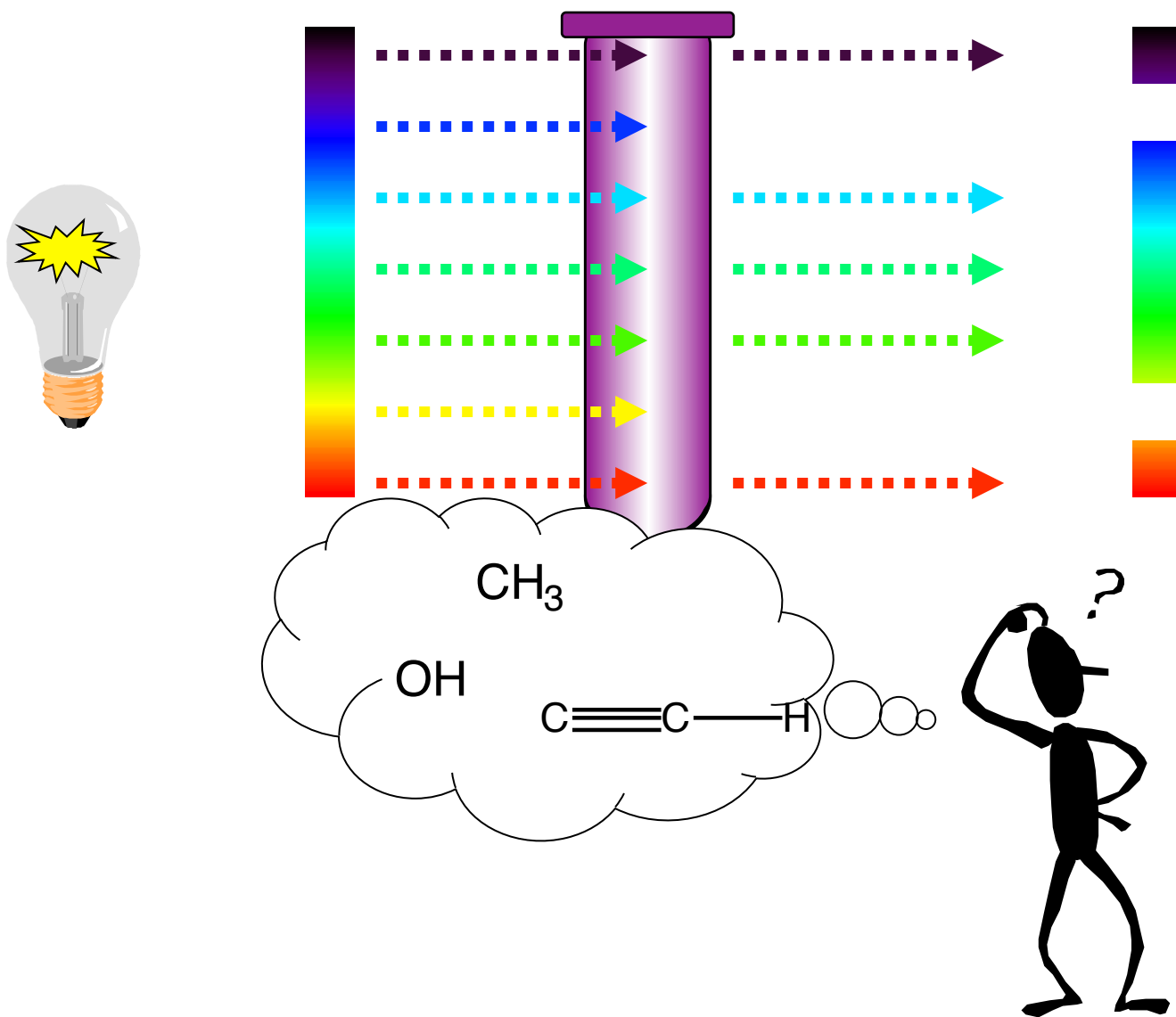
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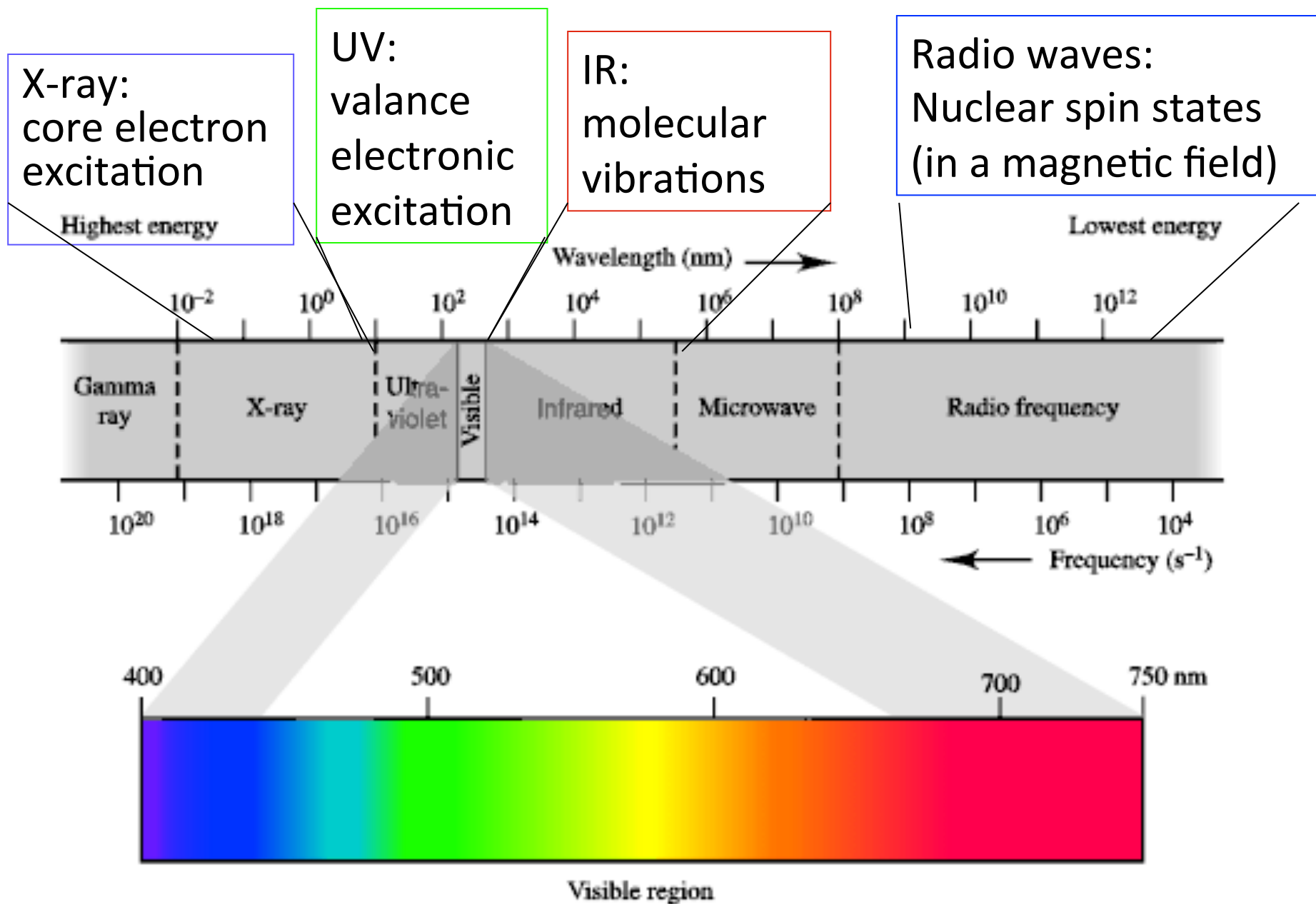
Note: this slide not in your handout but I will post it tonight

We can tell something about the molecules you have by the frequencies of light it absorbs



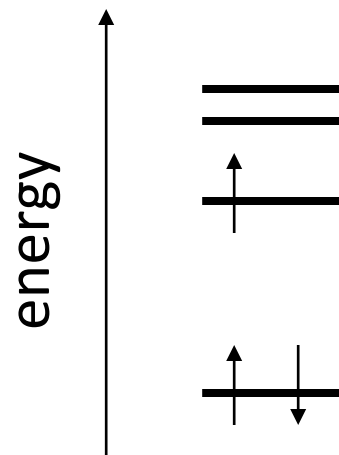


Different frequencies of light (electromagnetic radiation) interact with different aspects molecular motion (potential and kinetic energy).

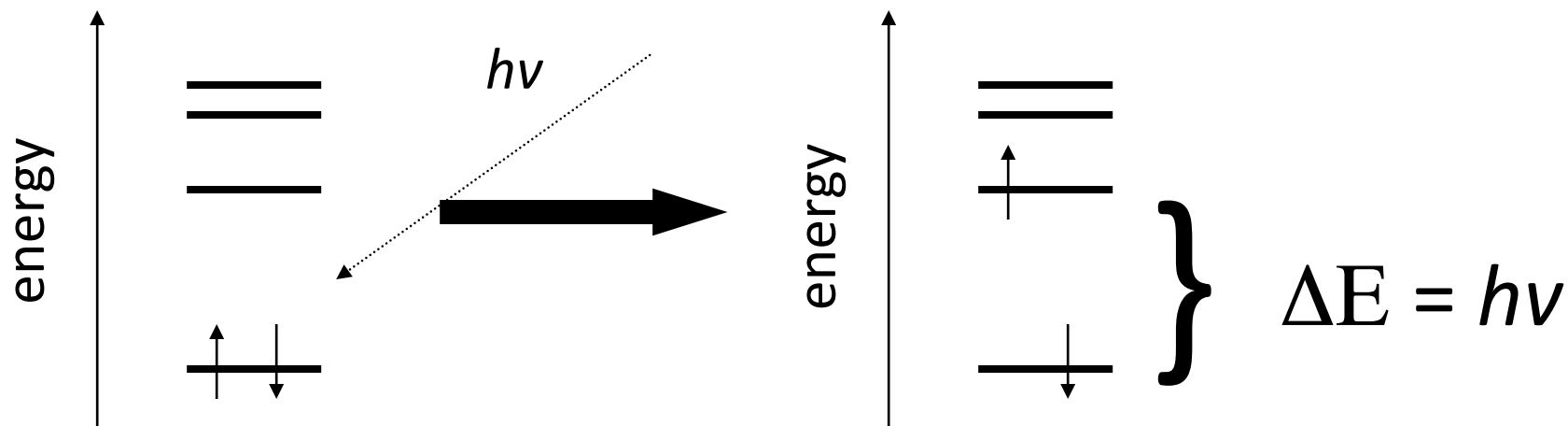


# Molecules have quantized energy levels

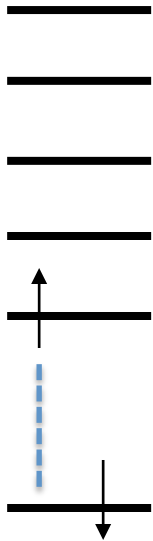
ex. electronic energy levels.



General Principle of Spectroscopy: A molecule absorbs light when the frequency of light correlates with an energy transition.

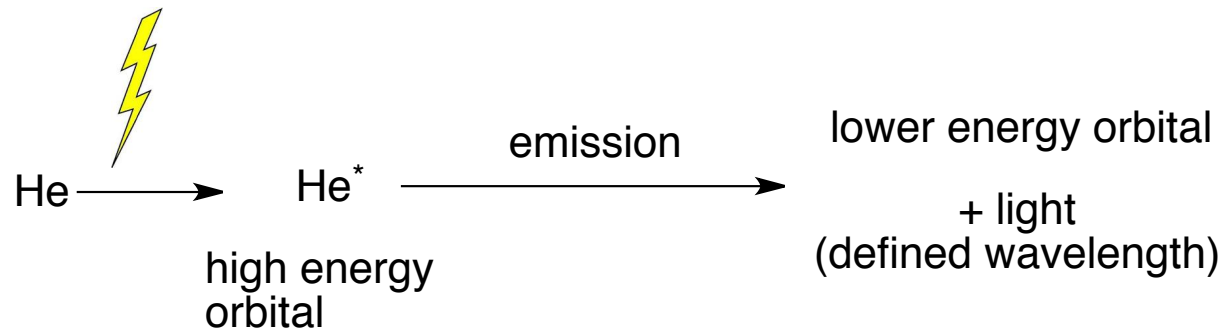


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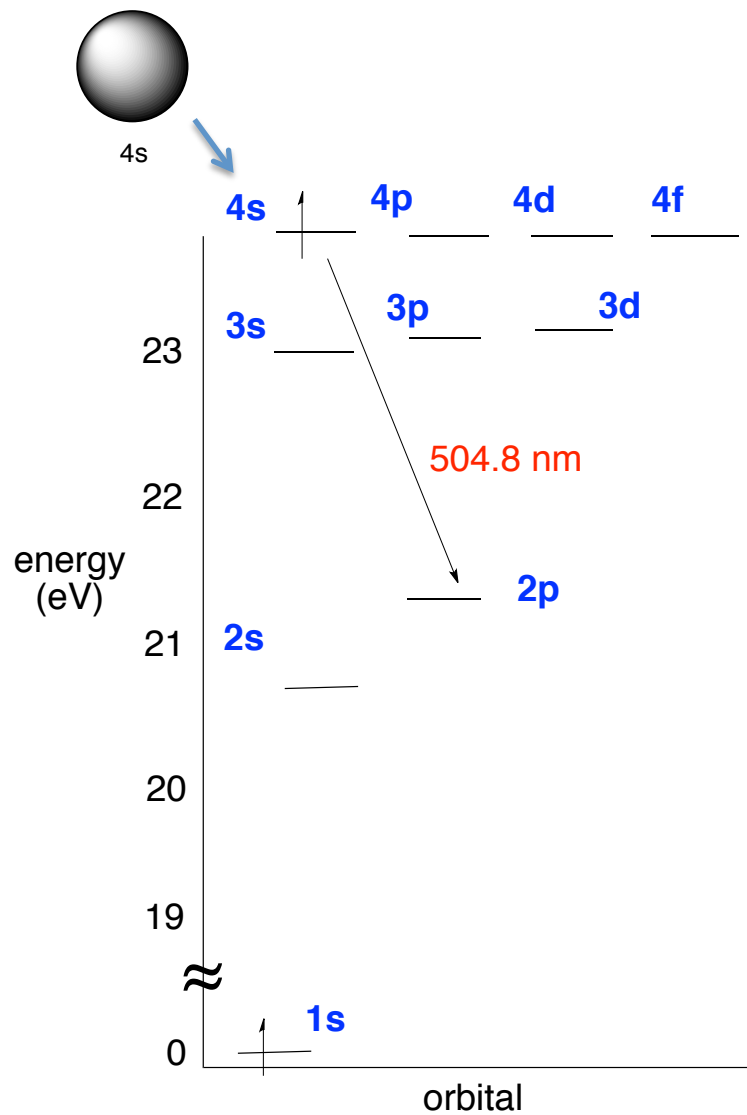
## Electronic energy levels are quantized

When an electric current is passed through a glass tube that contains helium gas at low pressure the tube gives light



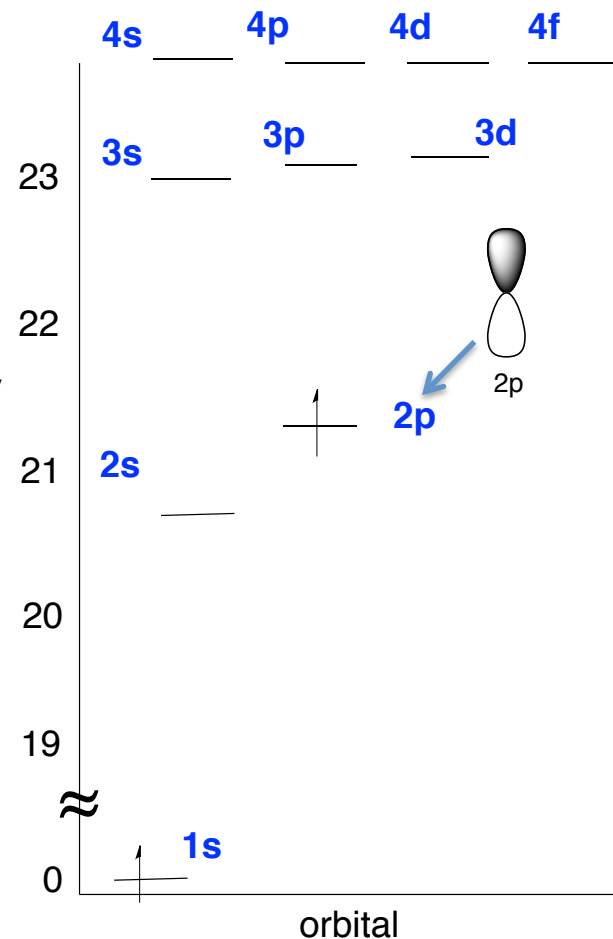
# Recall: Electronic energy levels are quantized

He atom



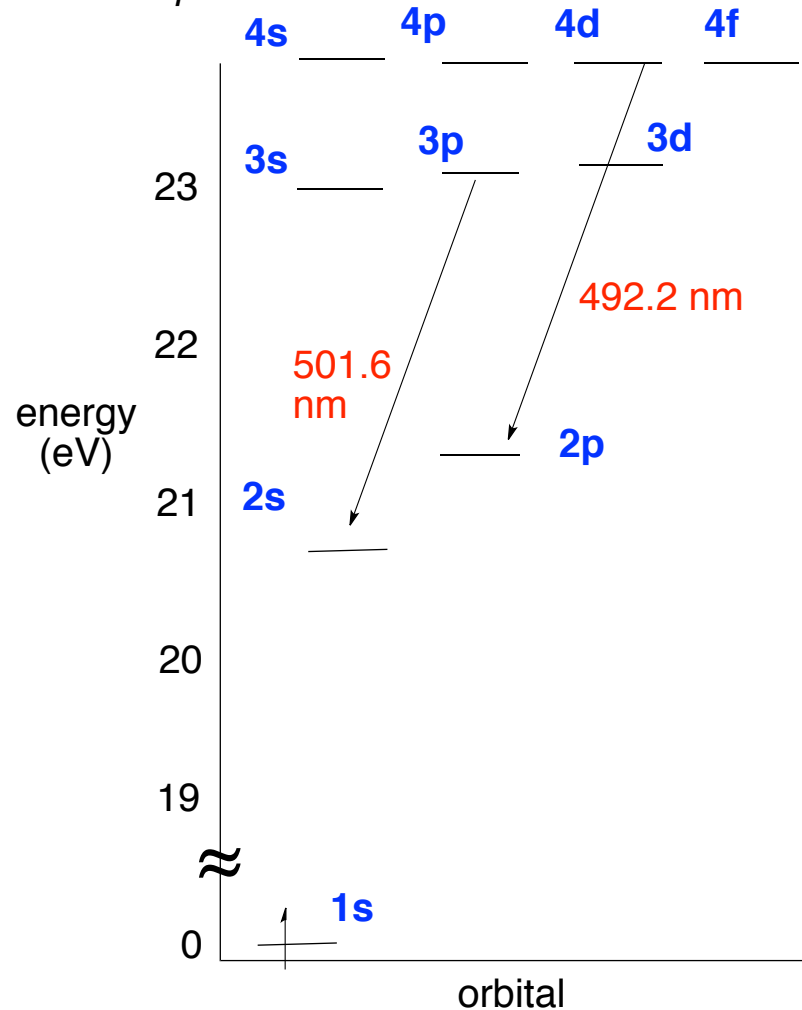
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of energy gap  
8 nm

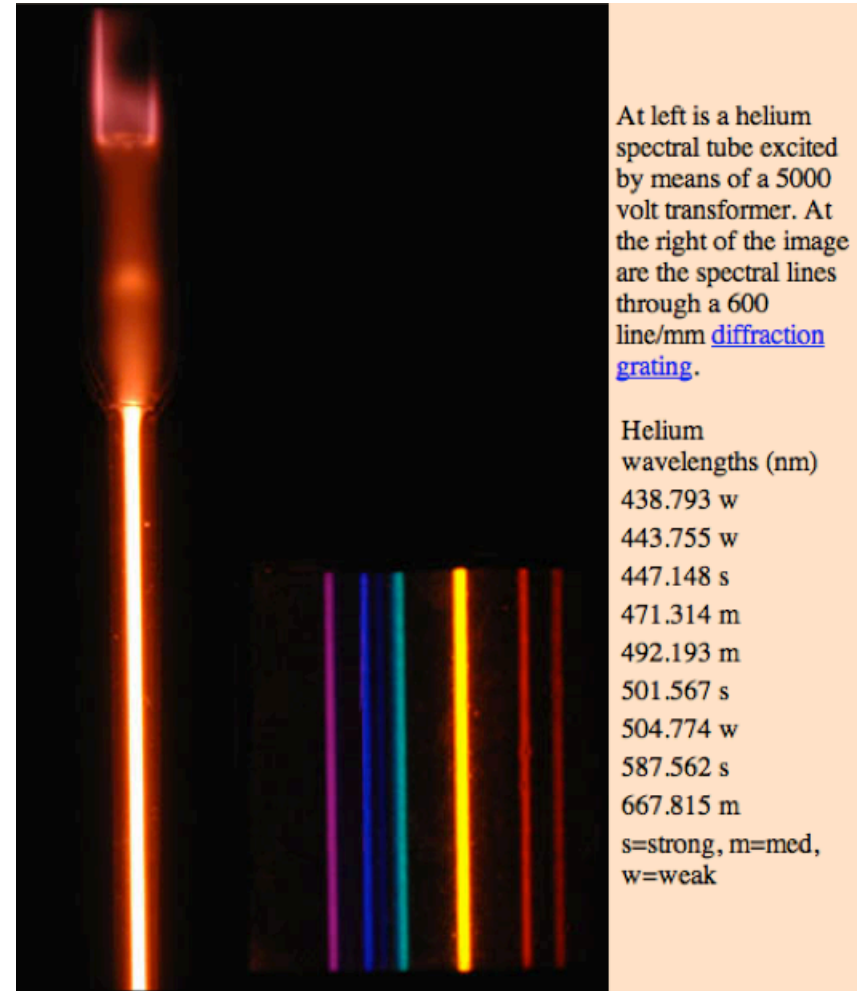


## Recall: Electronic energy levels are quantized

other examples



So when light is emitted from helium ions, we see discrete bands, not a continuum of emitted light



## Nuclear energy levels are also quantized

Associated with each nuclear spin is a nuclear magnetic moment which produces magnetic interactions with its environment.

The nuclear spins for individual protons and neutrons parallels the treatment of electron spin, with spin  $1/2$  and an associated magnetic moment. The magnetic moment is much smaller than that of the electron.

# Nuclear Magnetic Resonance

- The study of very low energy transitions of atomic nuclei with nuclear spin
- Some (not all) nuclei have spin. Only atoms with an odd number of protons or neutrons (or both) have nuclear spins that can be observed by NMR. : e.g.  $^{13}\text{C}$ ,  $^1\text{H}$ .
- The most important technique in organic chemistry

*nuclear transitions are little*

1.4 mm  
0.00086 eV  
2 cal/mol



radiowaves

*electronic transitions are big*

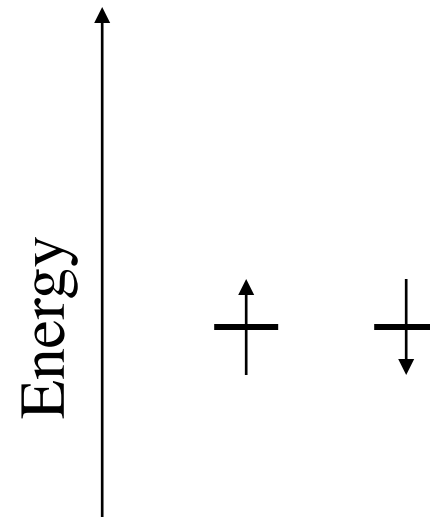
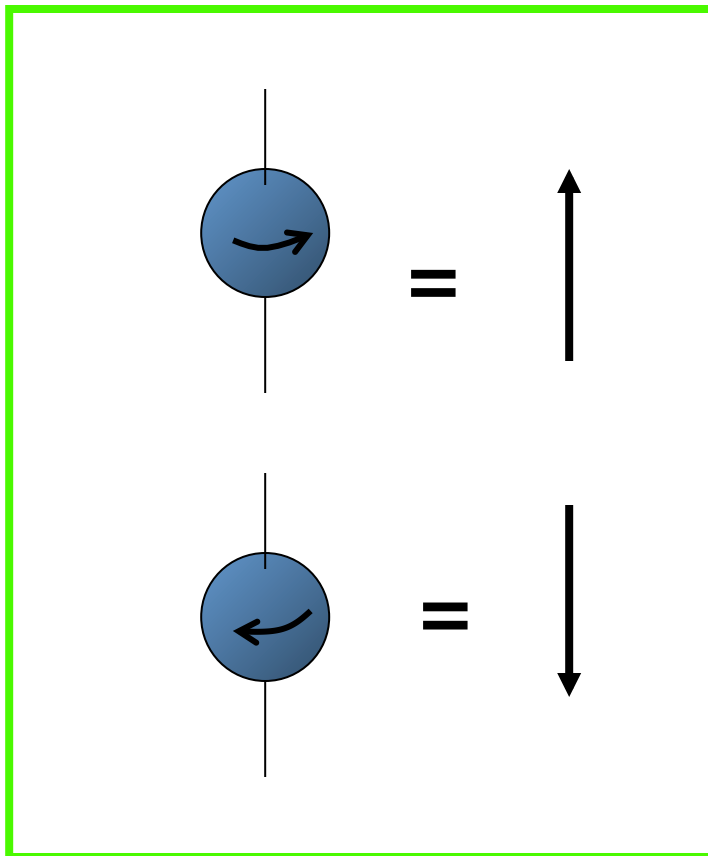
500 nm  
2.5 eV  
50,000 cal/mol



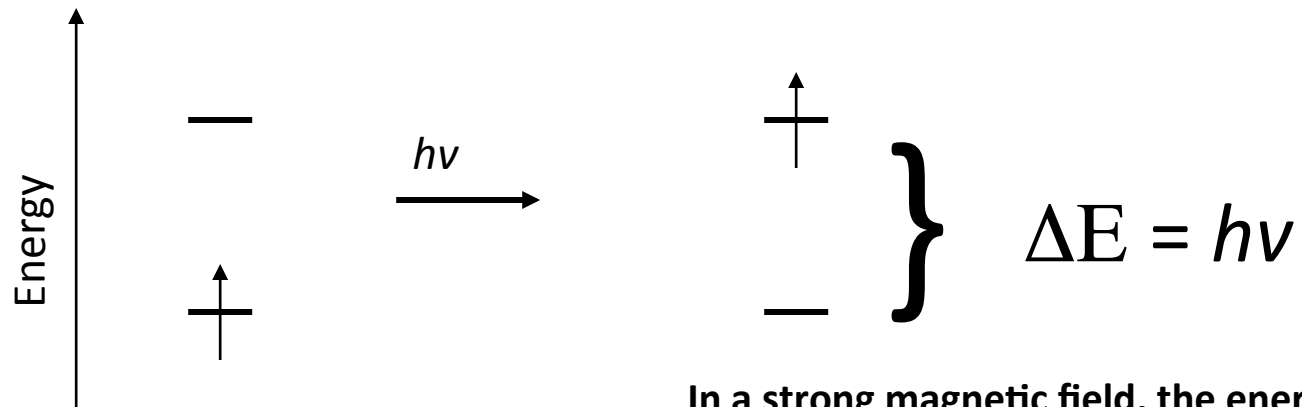
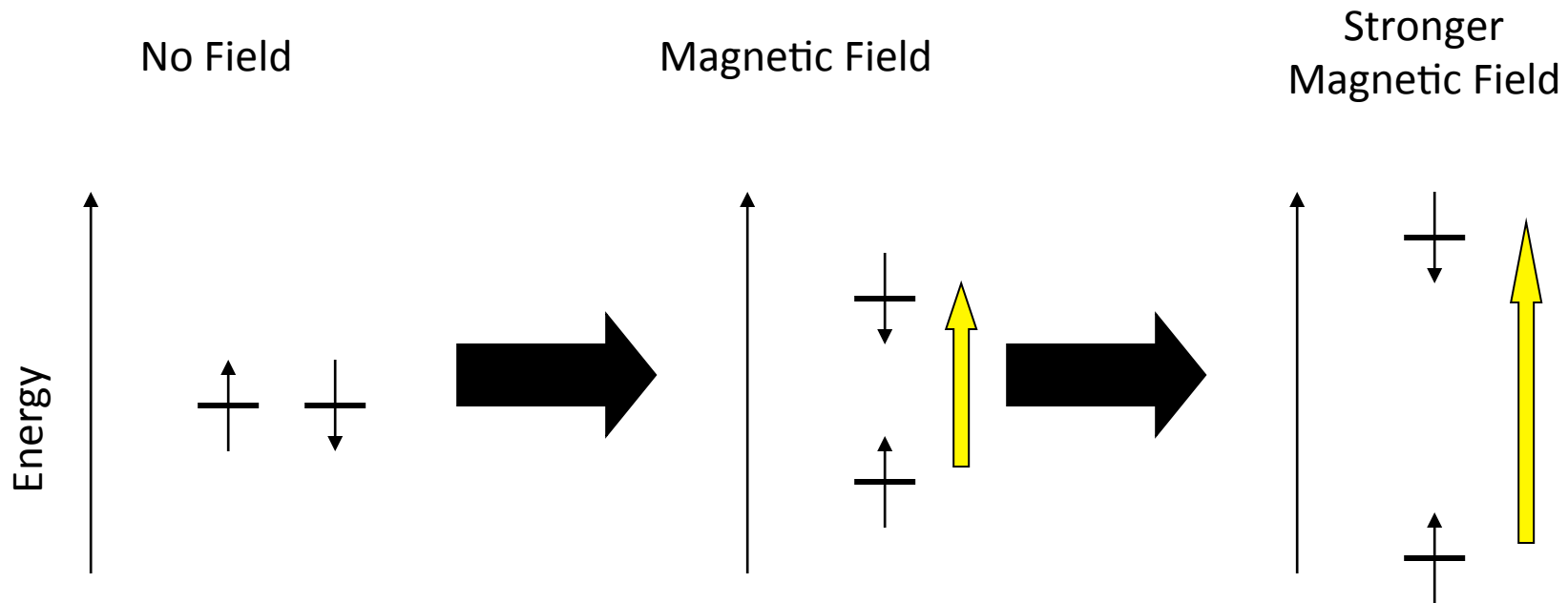
UV-vis



- NMR exploits the fact that many nuclei behave as magnetic dipoles in the presence of an external magnetic field

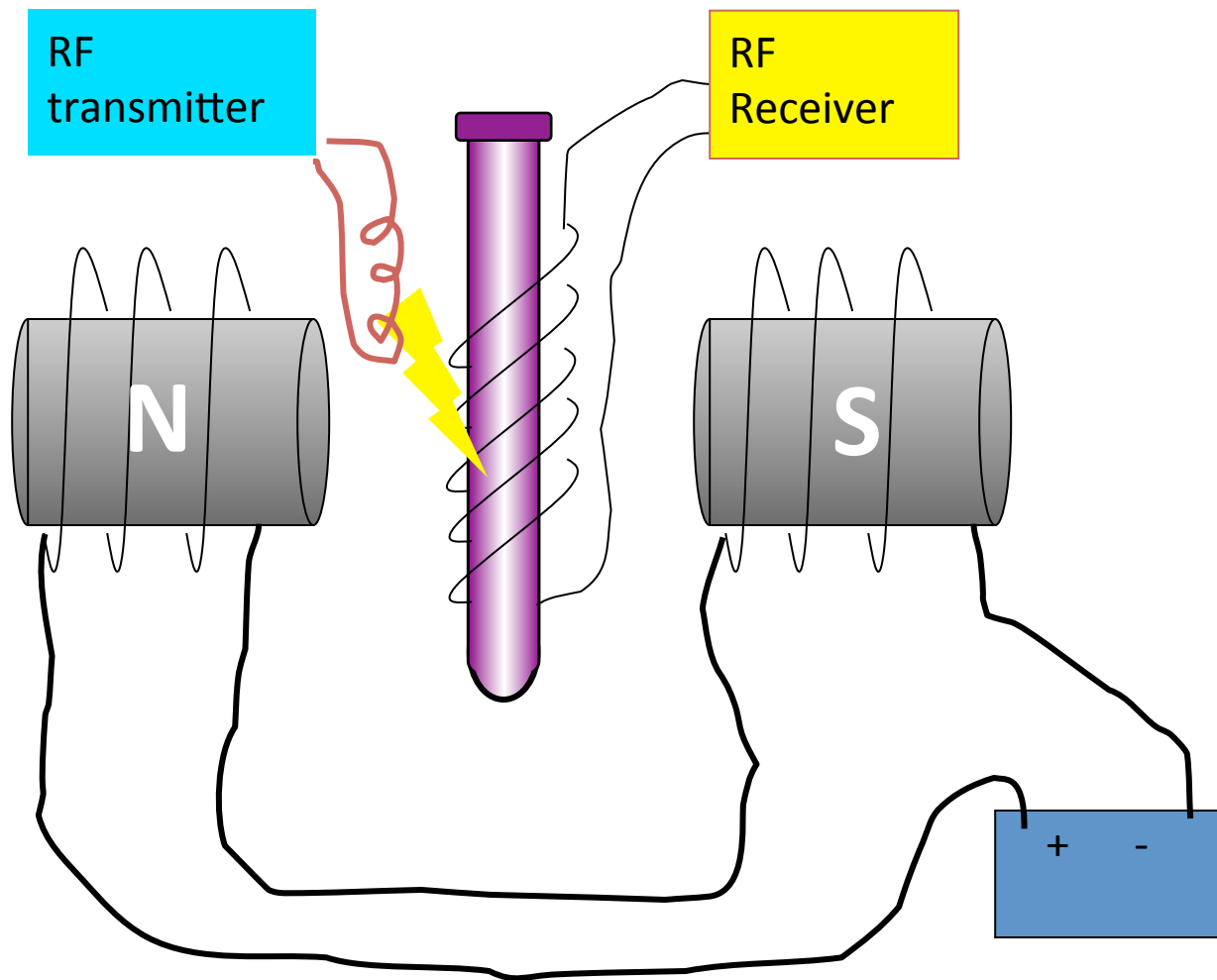


**In the absence of a magnetic field, both spin states have equal energy**



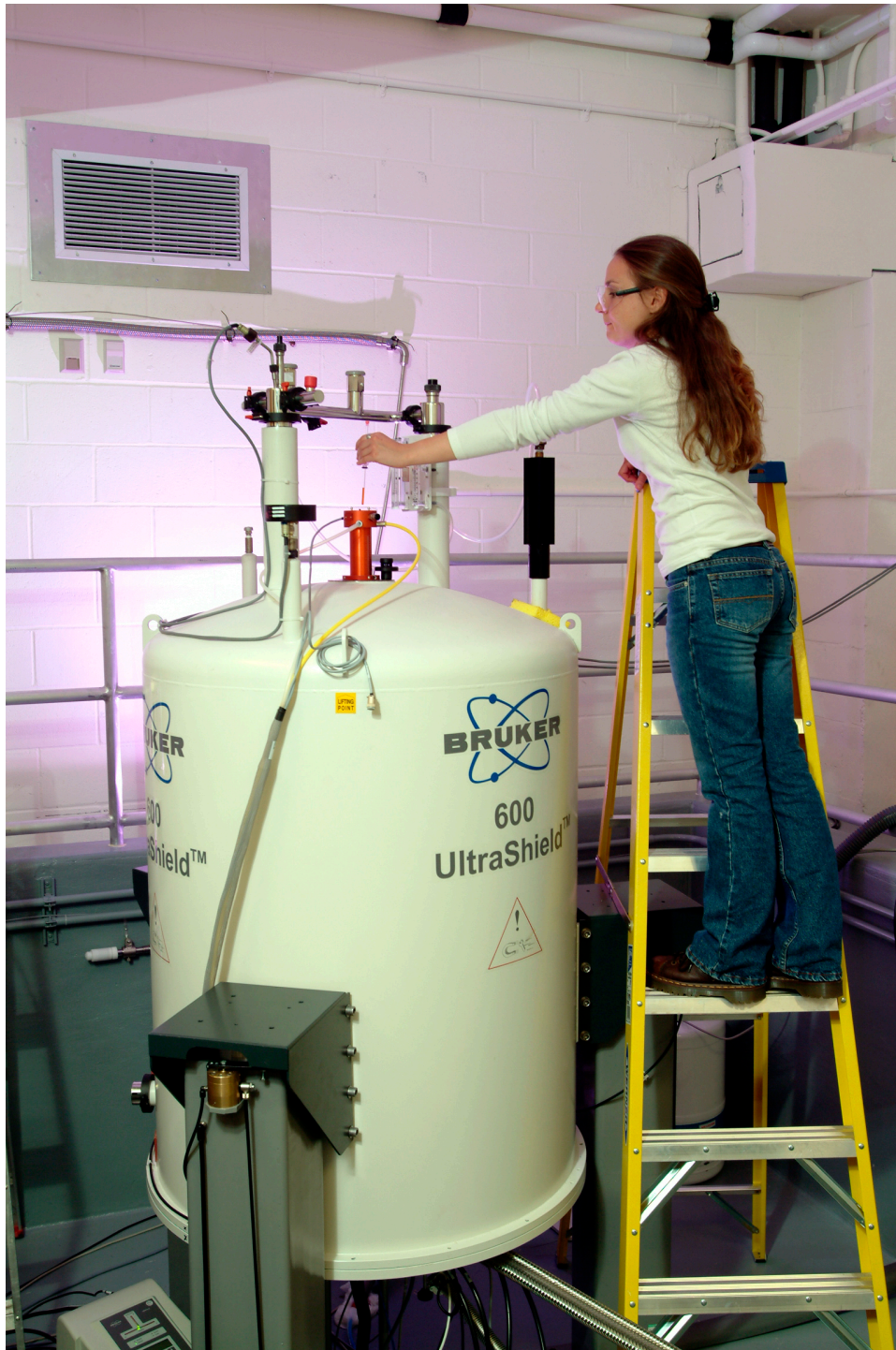
**In a strong magnetic field, the energy level difference corresponds to the energy of radio waves**

# How an NMR spectrometer works:



*Note modern NMRs use superconducting magnets to attain very strong magnetic fields*







# $^{13}\text{C}$ -NMR

We can examine the nuclear magnetic properties of carbon atoms in a molecule to learn about a molecules structure.

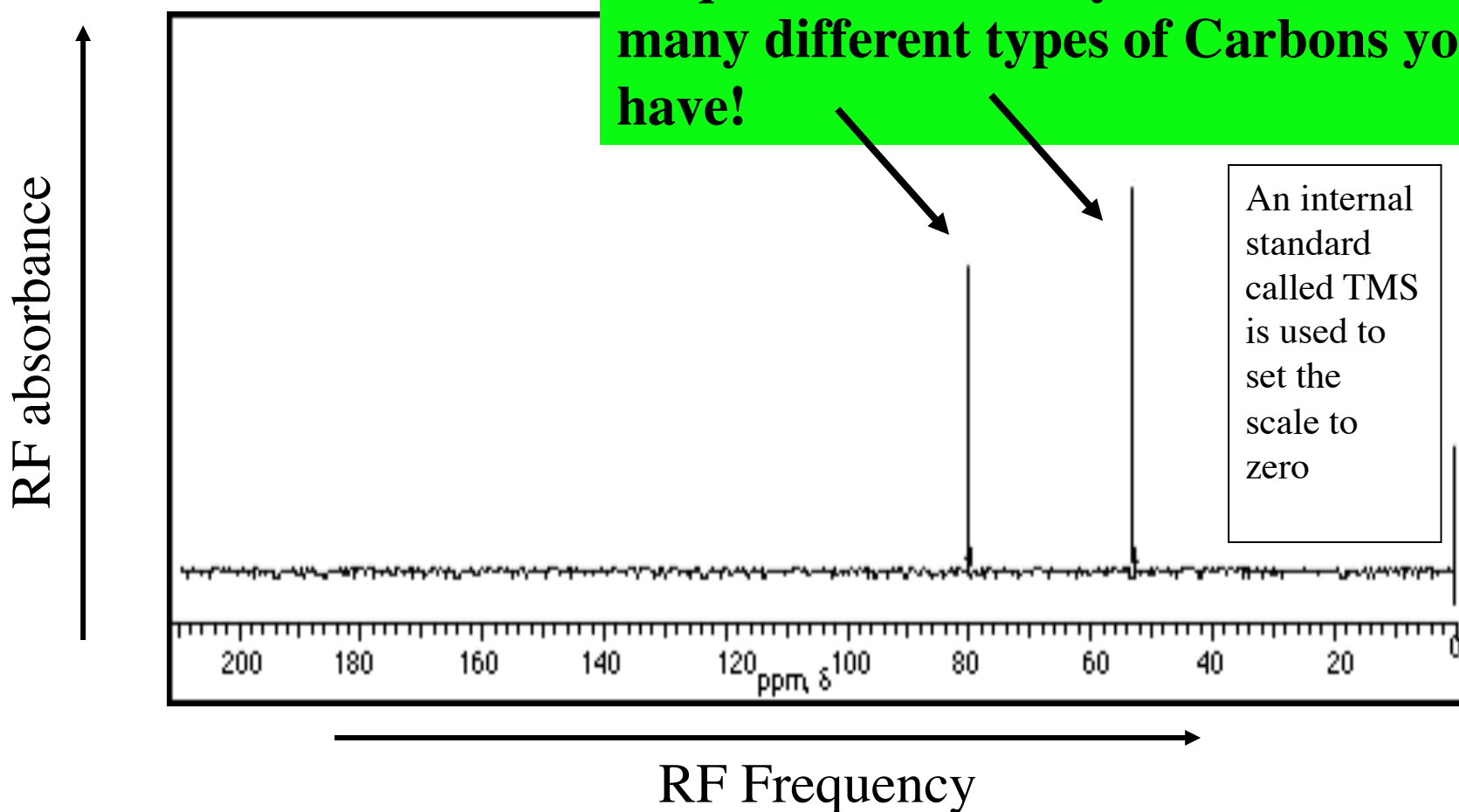
NOTE: most carbons are  $^{12}\text{C}$ .  $^{12}\text{C}$  has an even number of protons and neutrons and cannot be observed by NMR techniques.

However approximately 1% of carbons are  $^{13}\text{C}$ , and these we can see in the NMR. (this will be come later when we consider nuclear spin coupling)

A  $^{13}\text{C}$ -NMR spectrum.

**Here is what's cool about  $^{13}\text{C}$ -NMR:**

**Different carbons appear at different frequencies! - Now you know how many different types of Carbons you have!**

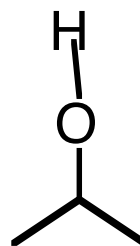
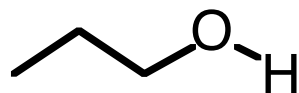


The intensity of the peak doesn't does not necessarily correlate to the number of carbons.

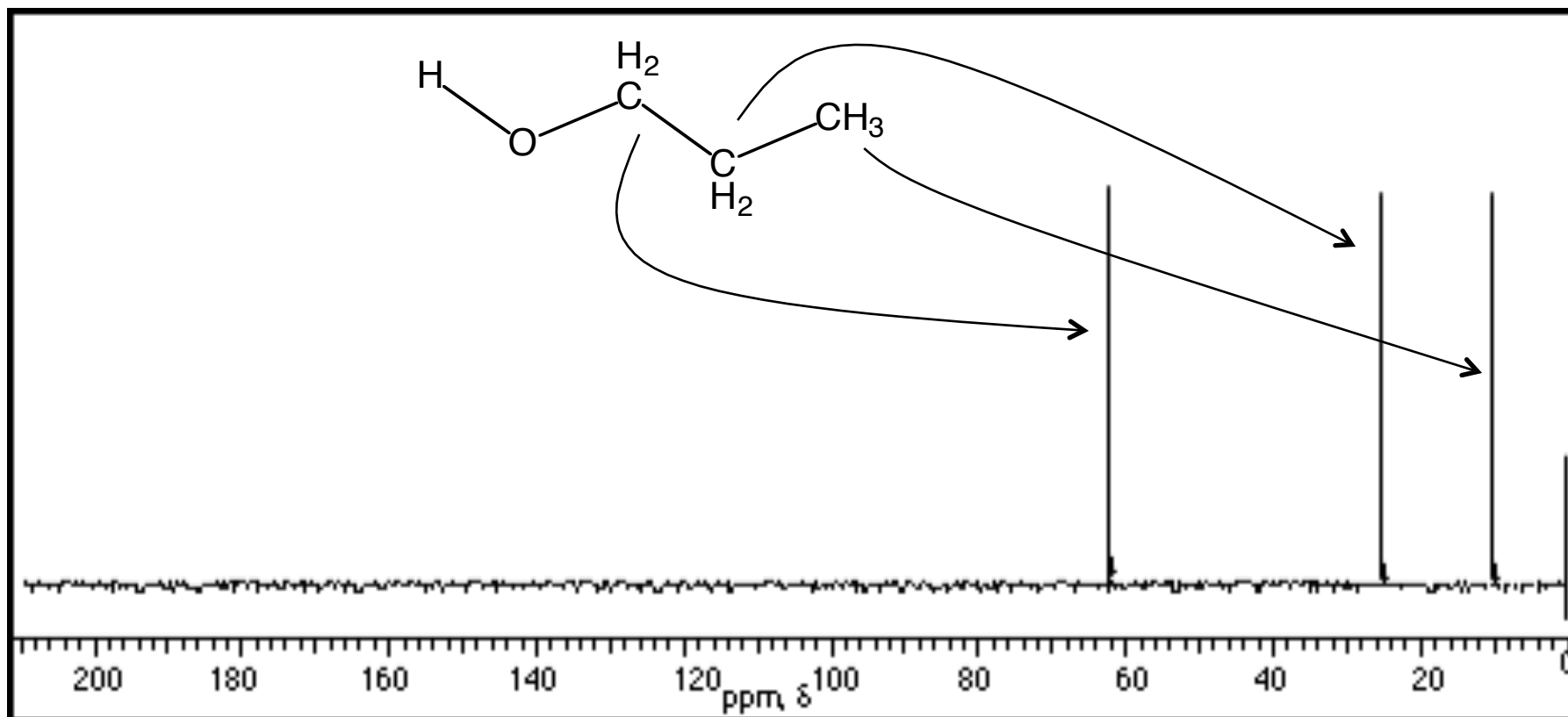
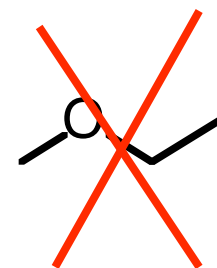
Example: Two alcohols (-OH compound) with formula  $C_3H_8O$

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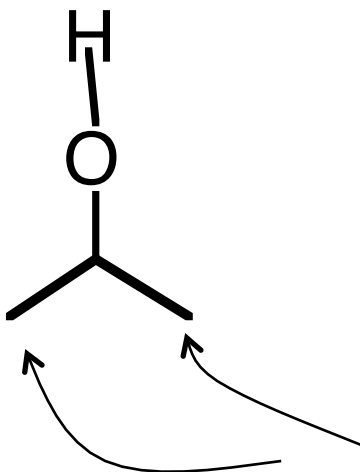
2. Possible structures:



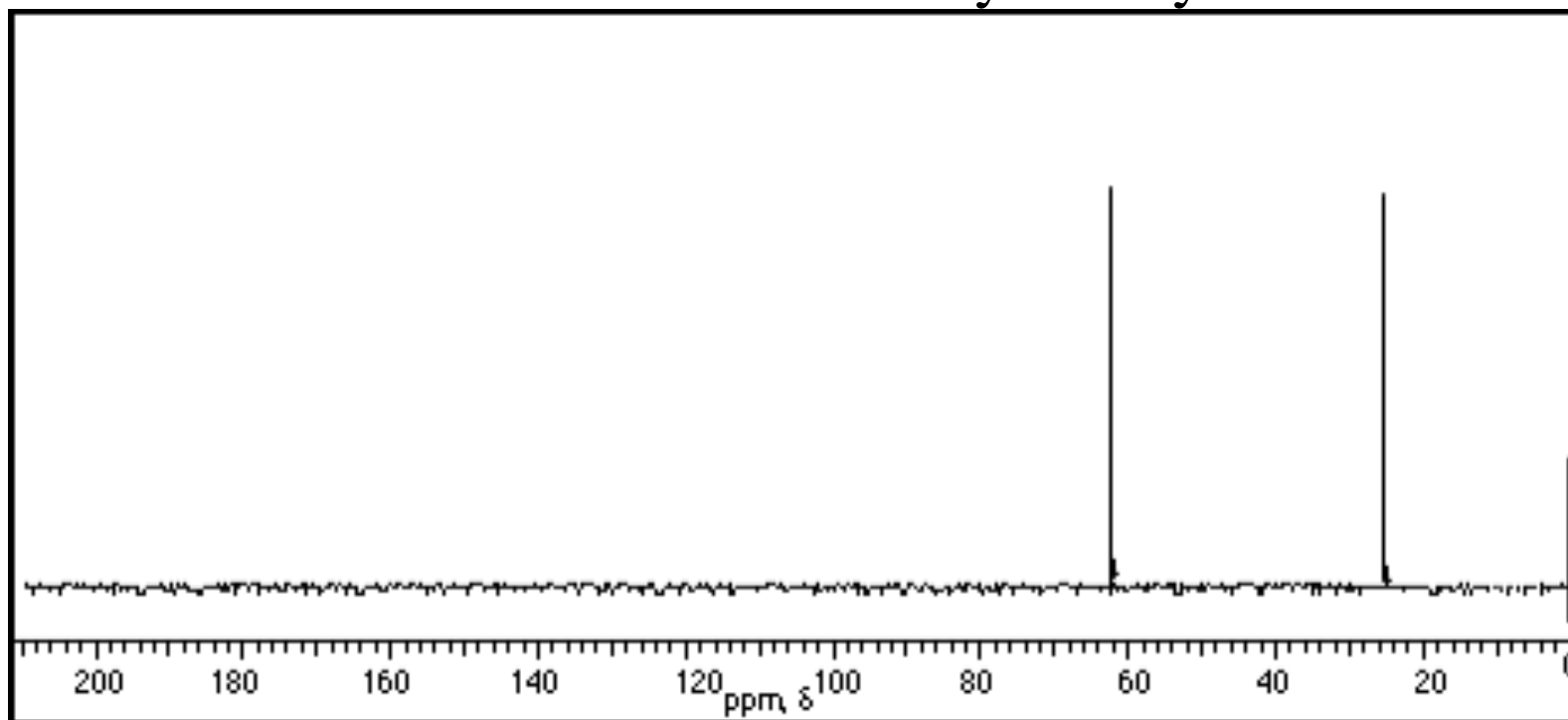
*Same!*



The C-NMR spectrum of isopropanol only shows two different carbons!

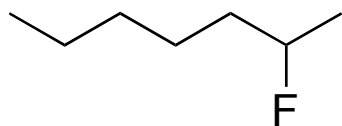


These two carbons are identical by symmetry:

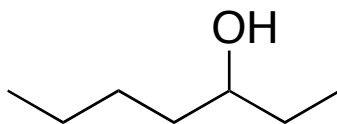




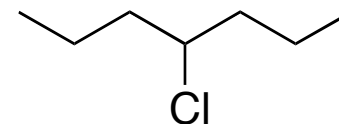
# How Many $^{13}\text{C}$ NMR resonances?



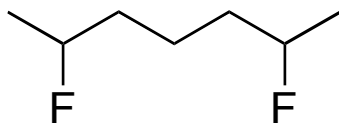
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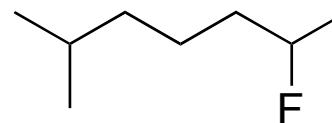
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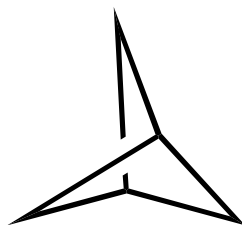
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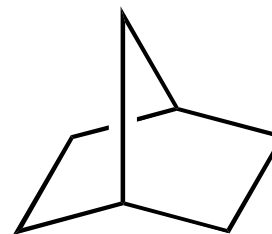
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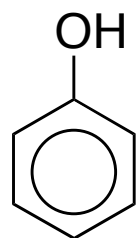
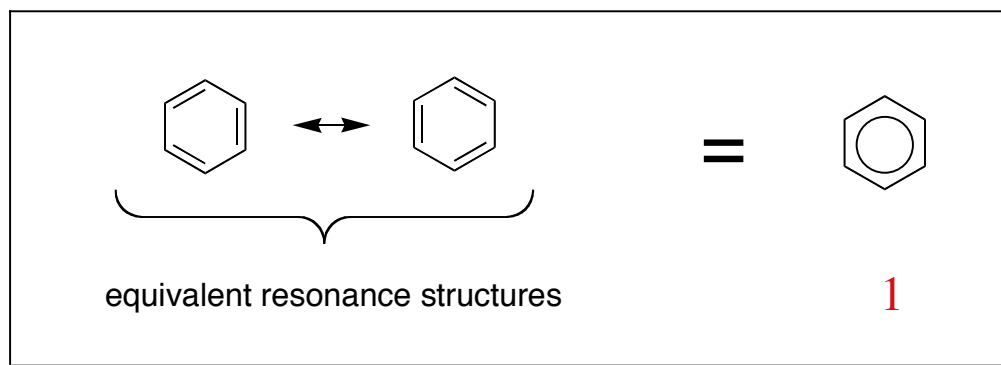
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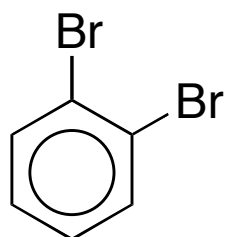
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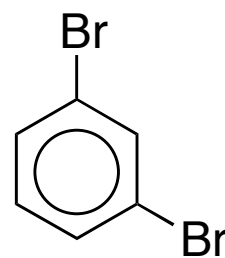
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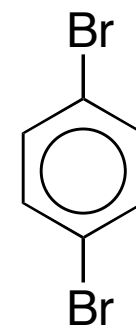
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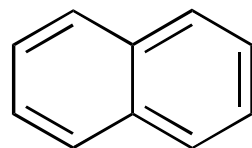
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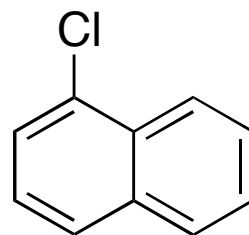
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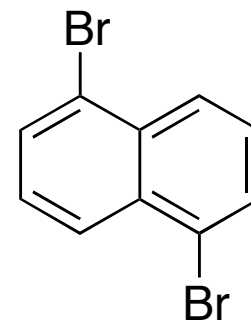
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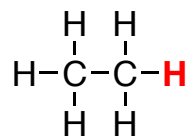
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## How do report the position of a different nucleus?

Just measure the frequency— easy?

### 60 MHz NMR

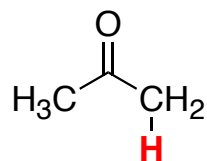
60,000,060 Hz



### 300 MHz NMR

300,000,300 Hz

60,000,130 Hz

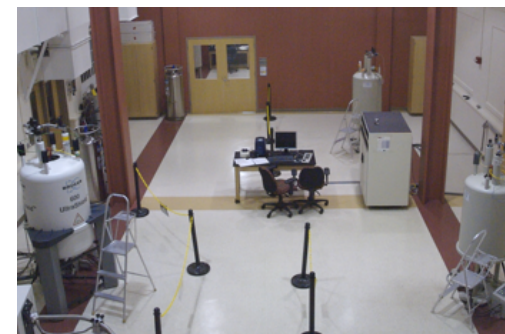
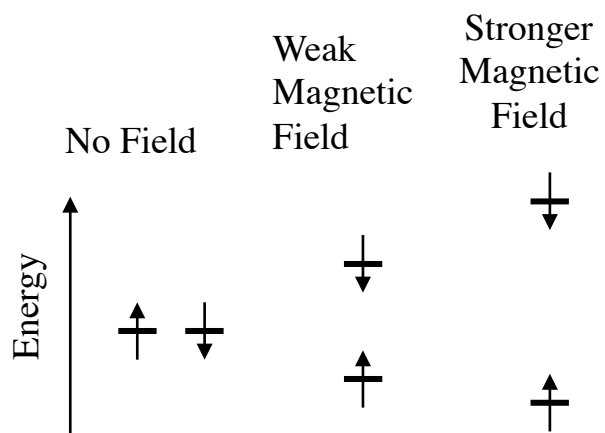


300,000,650 Hz

Different spectrometers will give different numbers :(

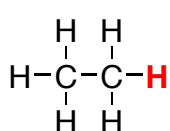
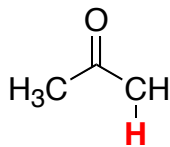
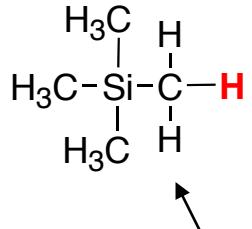


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## The solution: chemical shift ( $\delta$ )

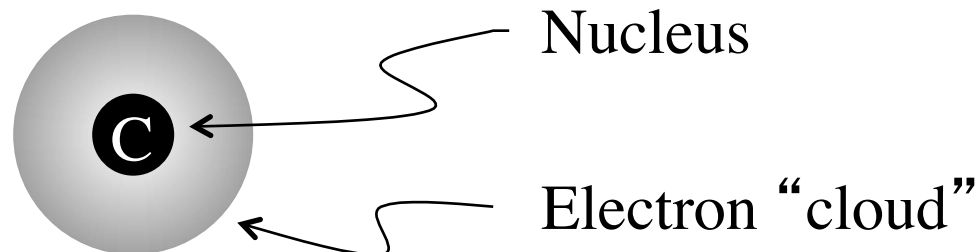
$$\delta = \frac{\Delta\nu \text{ relative to TMS (Hz)}}{\nu \text{ of spectrometer (MHz)}} \quad \text{in ppm}$$

	60 MHz NMR		$\delta$		300 MHz NMR
<chem>CC</chem> 	60,000,060 Hz	$\frac{60 \text{ Hz}}{60 \text{ MHz}}$	<b>1.00 ppm</b>	$\frac{300 \text{ Hz}}{300 \text{ MHz}}$	300,000,300 Hz
<chem>CC(=O)C</chem> 	60,000,130 Hz	$\frac{130 \text{ Hz}}{60 \text{ MHz}}$	<b>2.16 ppm</b>	$\frac{650 \text{ Hz}}{300 \text{ MHz}}$	300,000,650 Hz
<chem>C[Si](C)(C)C</chem>  <p><b>TMS:</b> tetramethylsilane, a reference standard</p>	60,000,000 Hz	(reference)	<b>0 ppm</b>	(reference)	300,000,000 Hz

Different spectrometers will give the same numbers :)

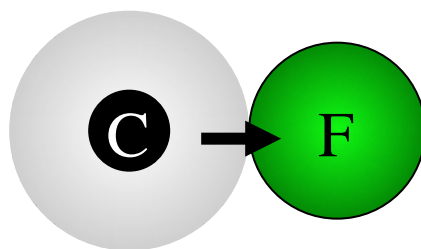
## Why do nuclei in different environments appear at different frequencies?

An isolated  $^{13}\text{C}$  atoms have the same chemical shift. (resonate at the same frequency)



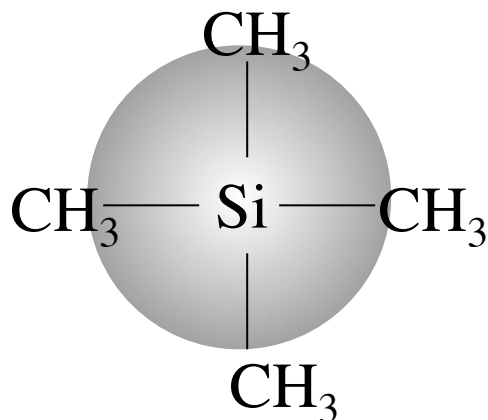
The electron cloud of the atom partially shields the nucleus from the surrounding magnetic field

When the carbon nucleus is adjacent to an electronegative atom, the carbon nuclei has fewer Electrons around it.



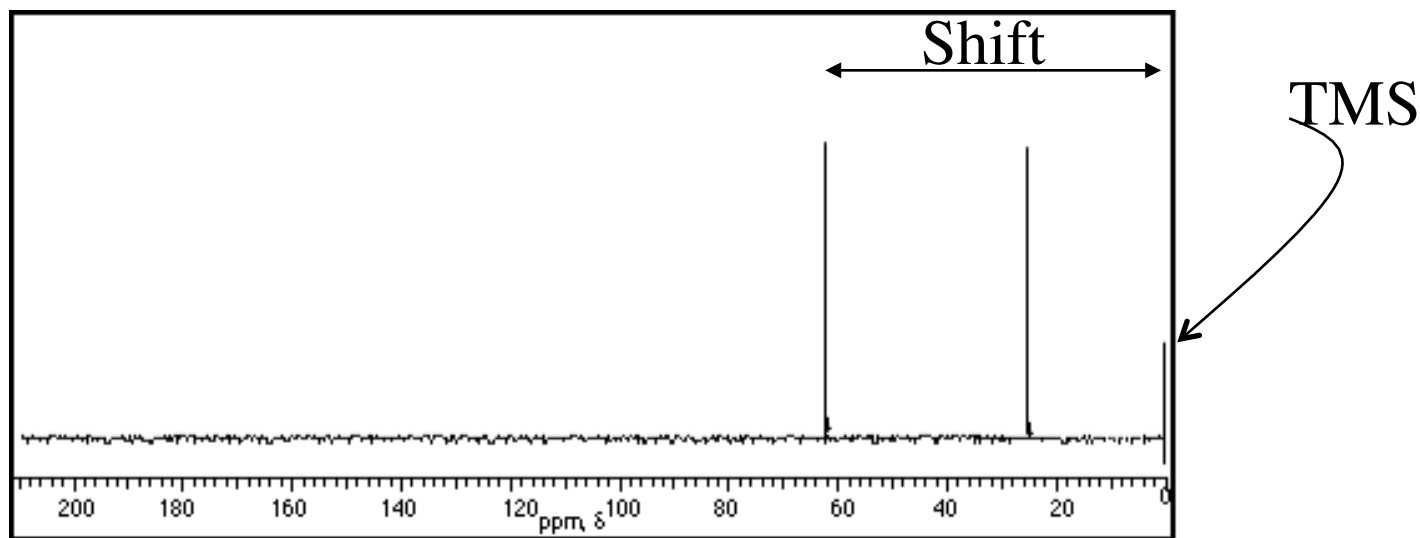
Nuclei with less electron density around them will resonate at a different frequency: It requires a weaker magnetic field to cause a carbon nuclei to resonate if it has less electron density around it.

Conversely atoms that donate electron density cause nuclei to resonate at lower frequencies (higher field strengths).



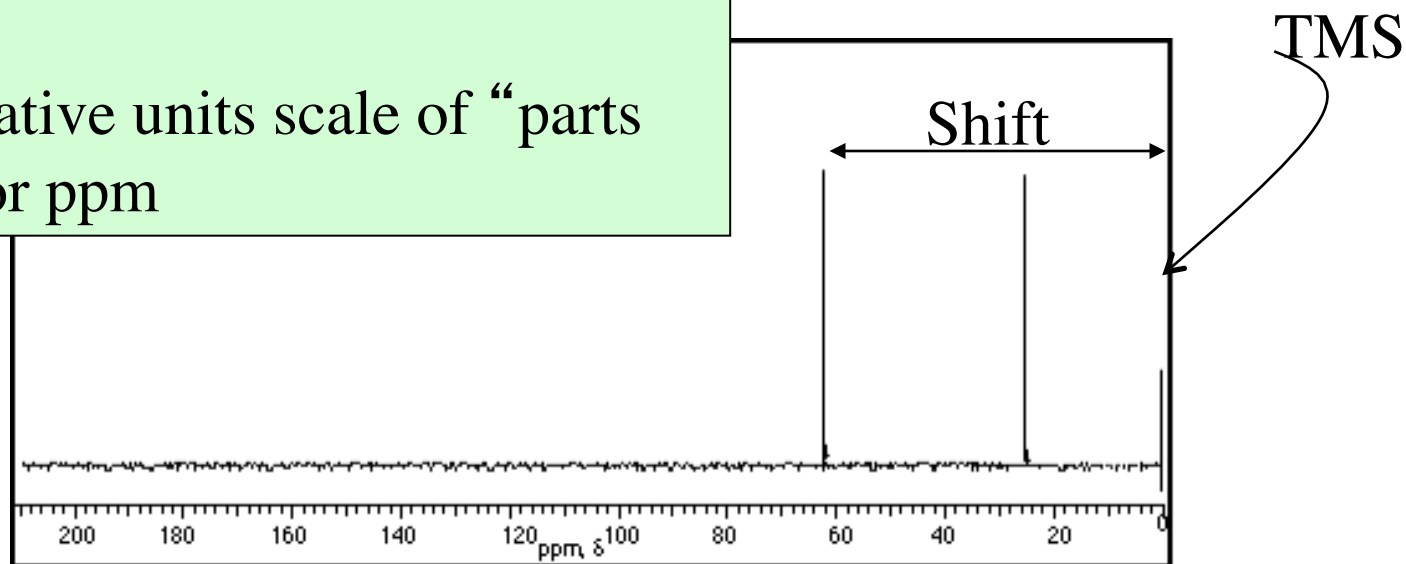
The silicon in tetramethylsilane (TMS) shields the carbon nuclei and makes them appear “up-field”

The chemical shift spectrum is measured relative to TMS.



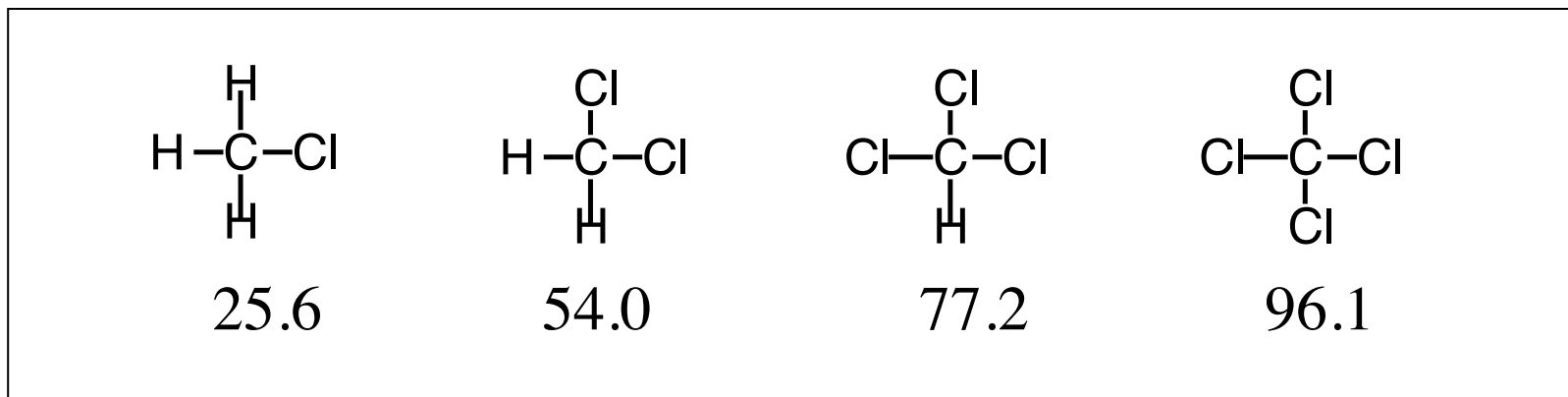
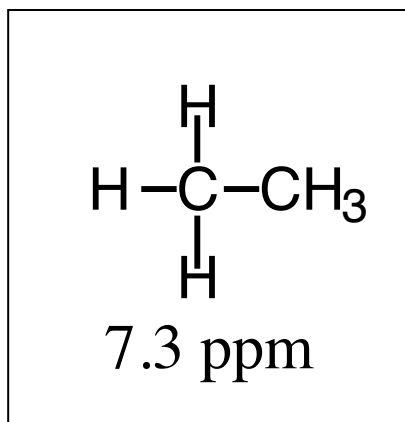
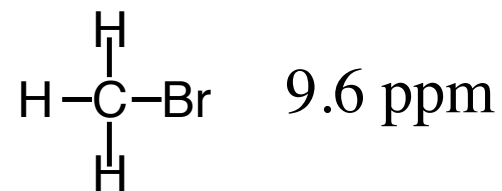
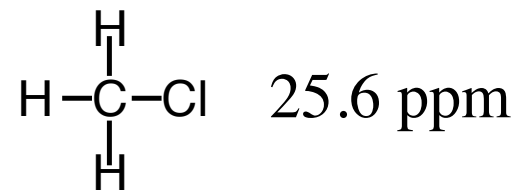
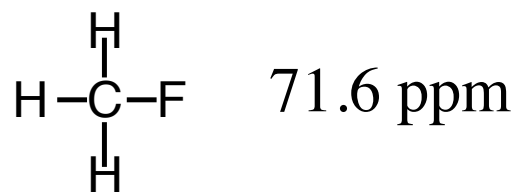
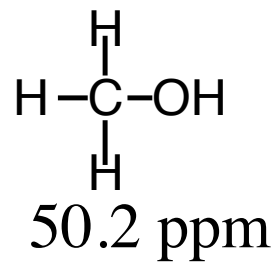
## THE $\delta$ SCALE IS USED TO MEASURE CHEMICAL SHIFT

$\delta$  = is used to signify chemical shift. Because the frequency depends on the field strength, one uses a relative units scale of “parts per million” or ppm



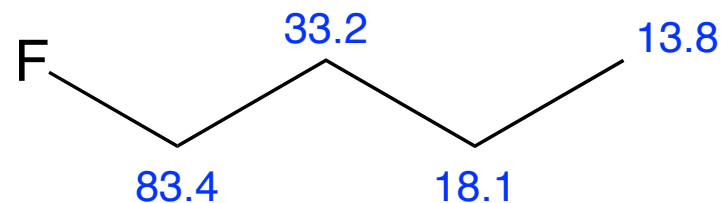
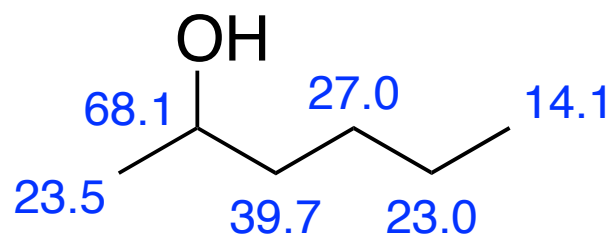
Chemical shifts reported as ppm units give the same values for the same compound regardless of the instrument used!

$$\delta = (v_{(\text{compound})} - v_{(\text{TMS})}) / v_{(\text{instrument field strength})}$$

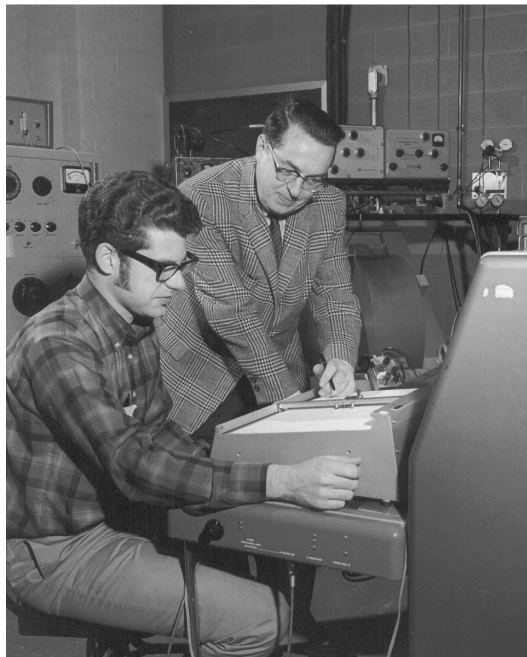




Atoms which are not directly attached to an electronegative atom are still shifted but the effect is significantly attenuated. The inductive effect (through bond influence) drops off rapidly with distance.

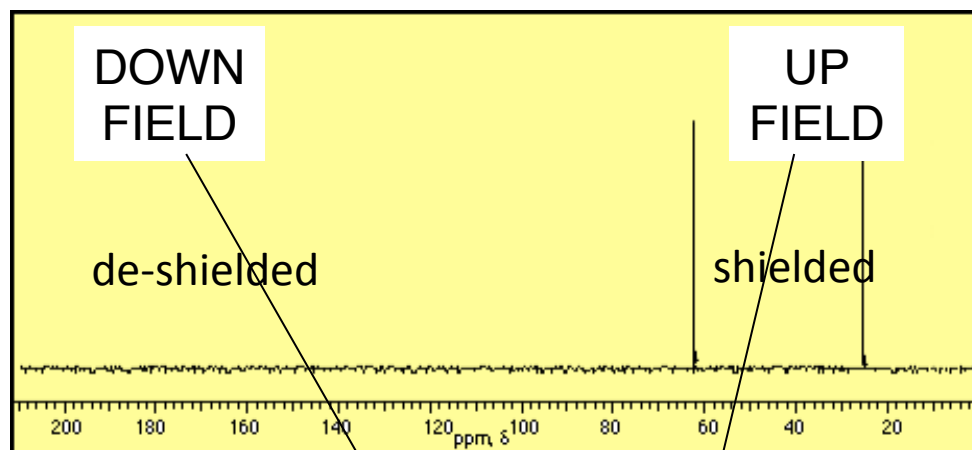
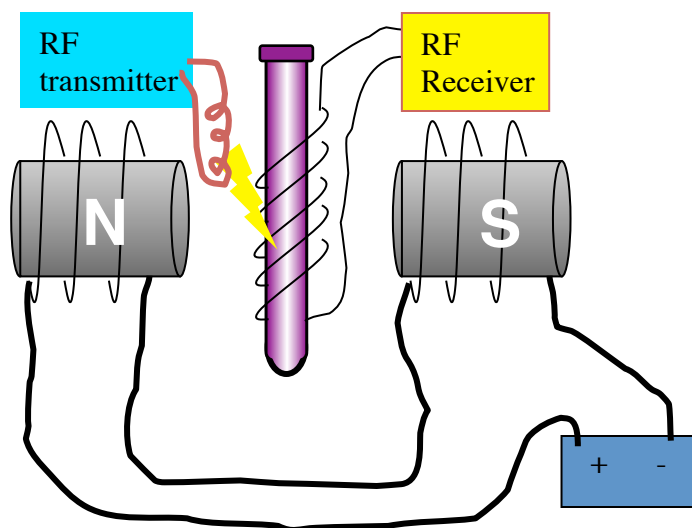
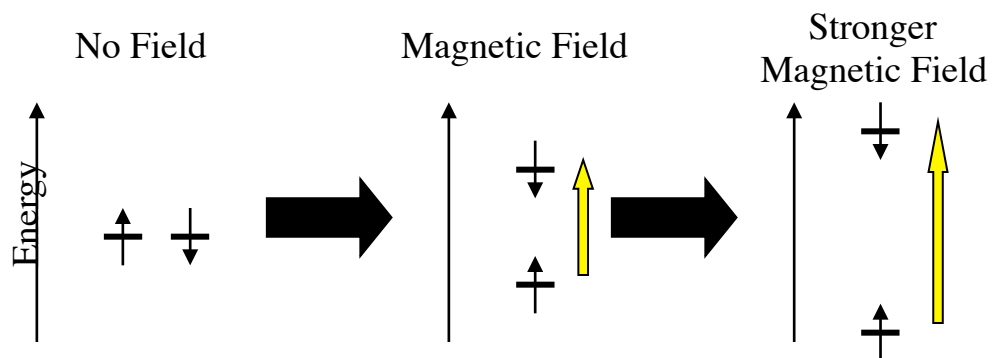


# How do you take an NMR??



Max Tofield Rogers 1956

I. Constant Radio frequency but change magnetic field  
OLD TRADITIONAL WAY!

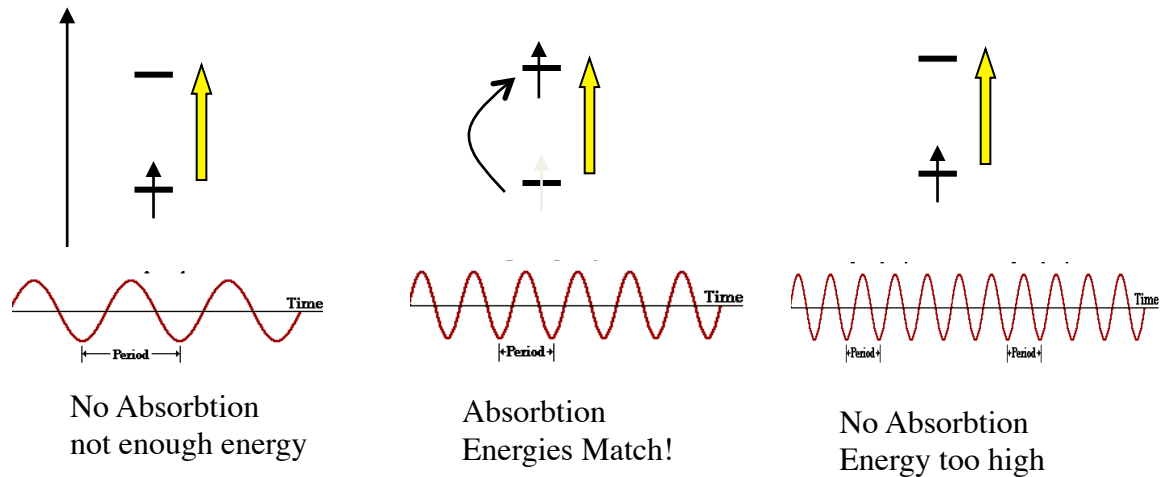


Know these terms!!

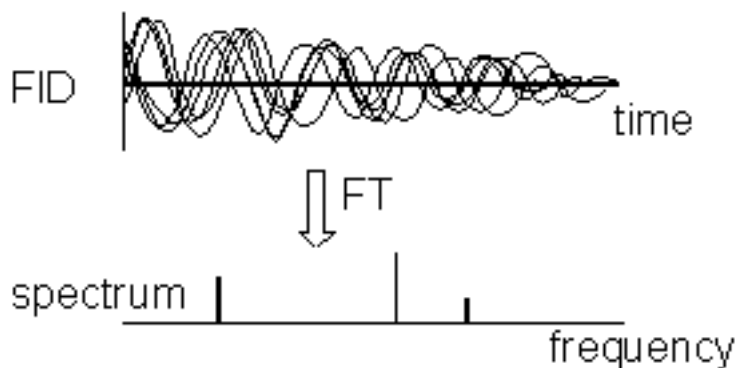
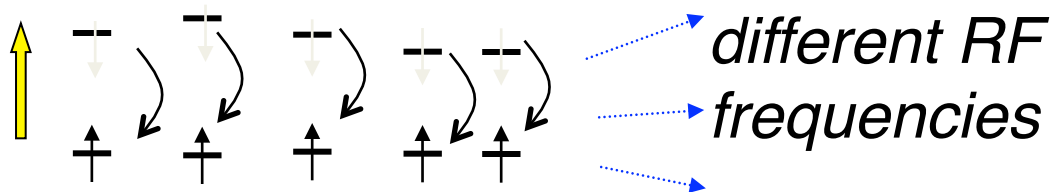
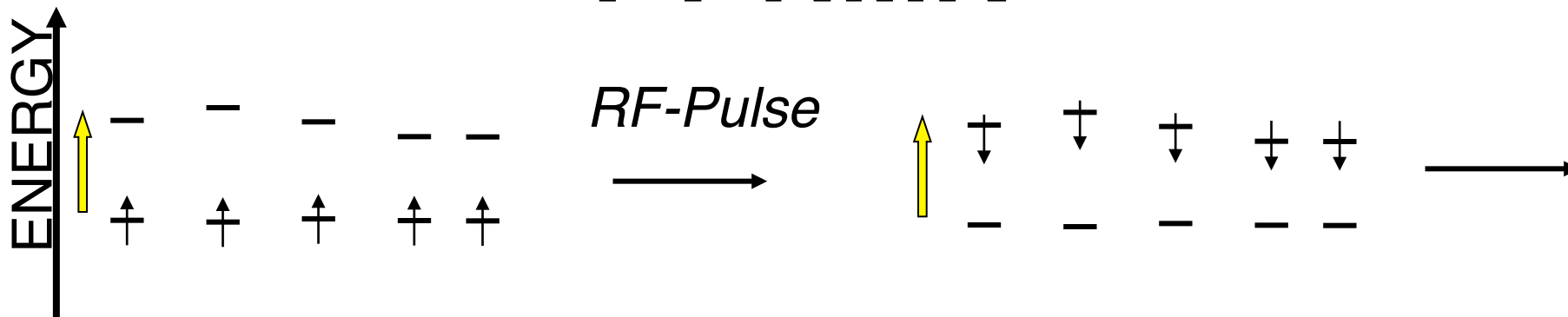
# Technically Modern NMR spectra are obtained at constant field strength



CONSTANT MAGNETIC FIELD!--Change Frequency



# FT-NMR

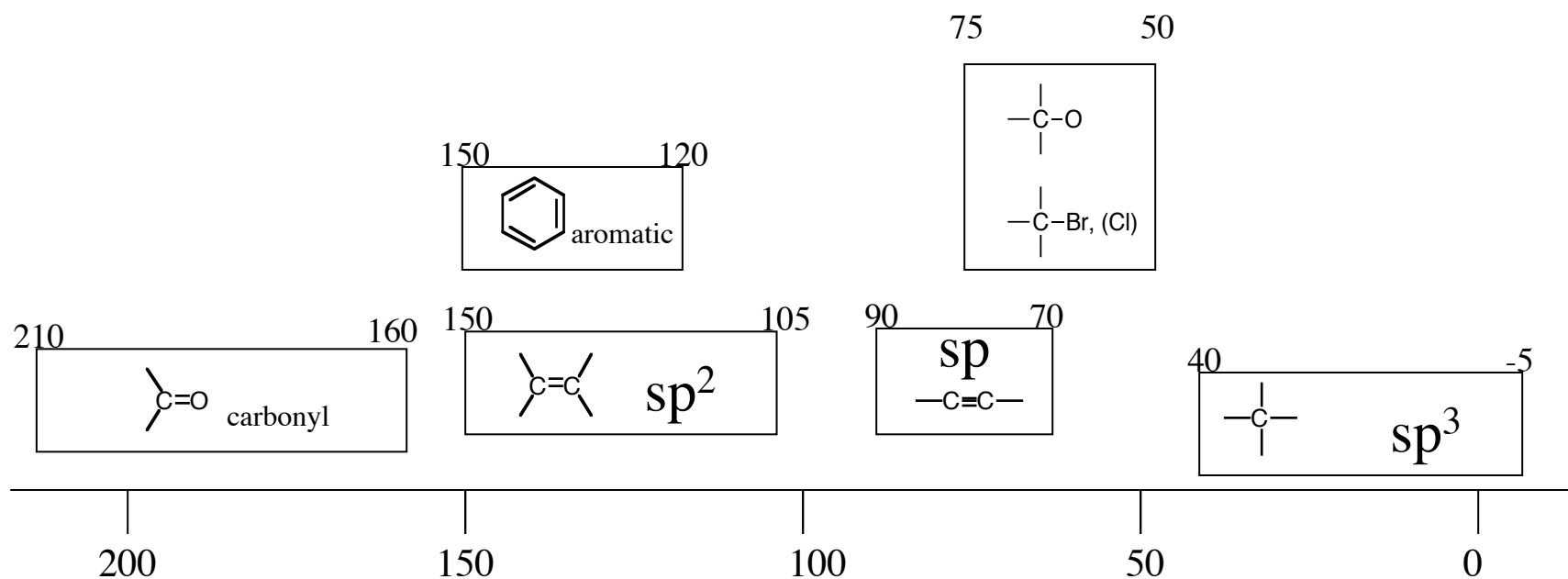


**Technically speaking:** you don't selectively excite all the nuclei but rather you saturate the exchange of nuclei between the upper and lower energy states. At equilibrium (in the absence of the RF energy) there are slightly more nuclei in the lower energy state than in the upper energy state based on the normal Boltzmann distributions.

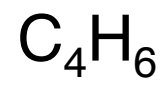


Typical Values of Chemical shift depend on the

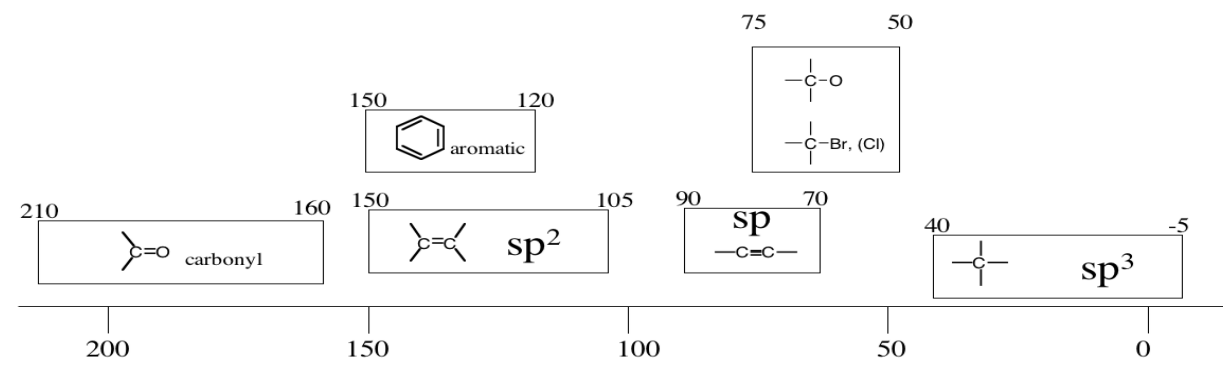
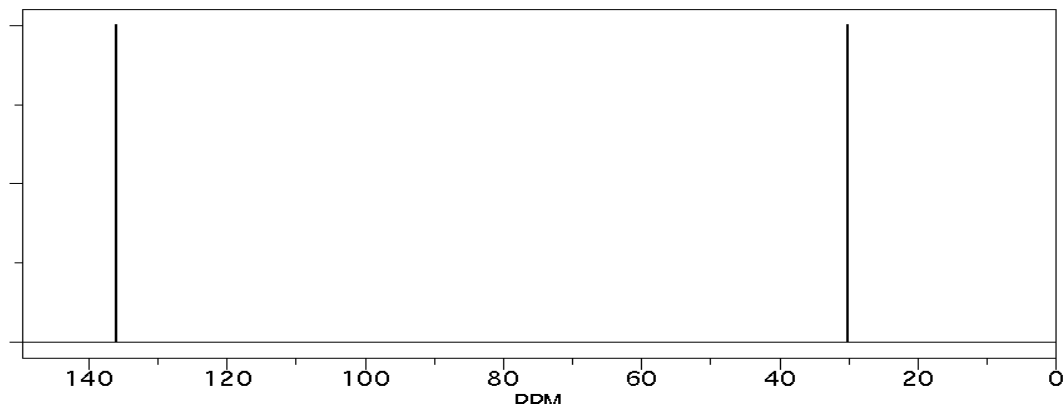
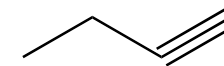
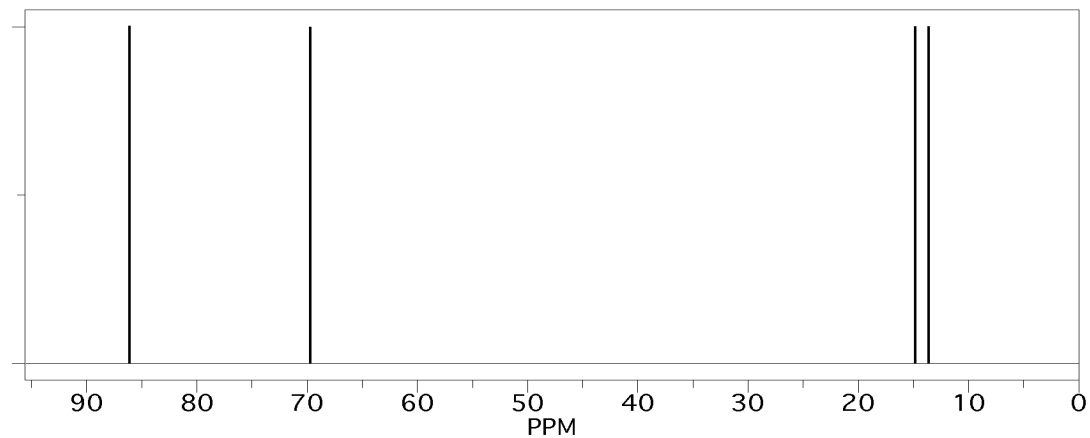
1. Hybridization
2. Electronegativity of attached atom(s).

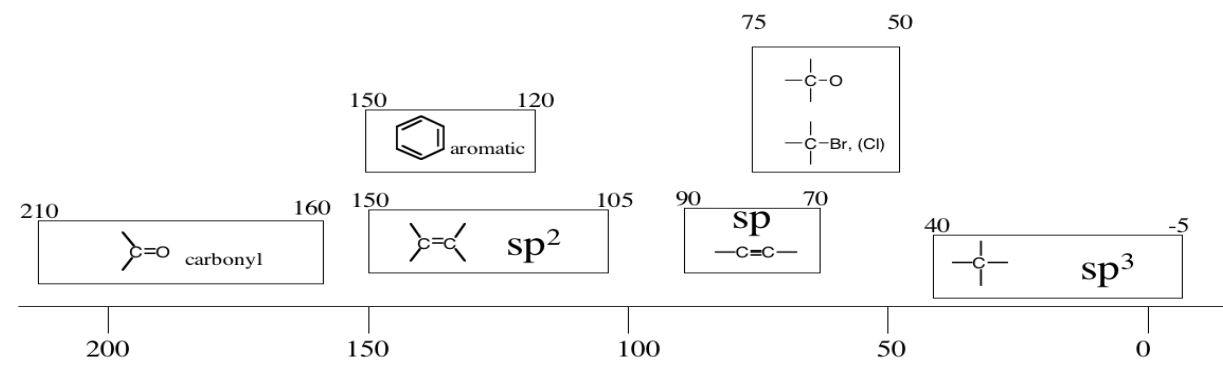
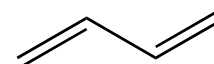
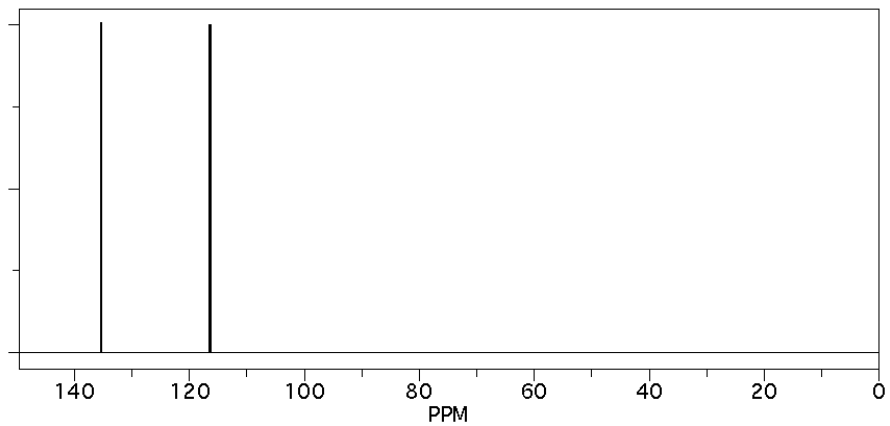
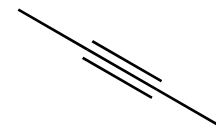
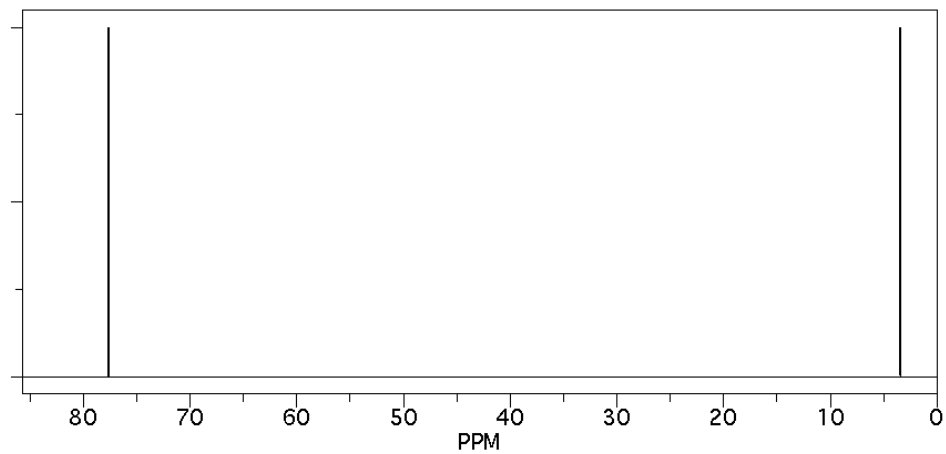
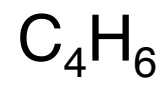


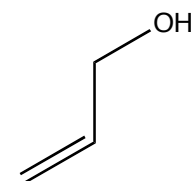
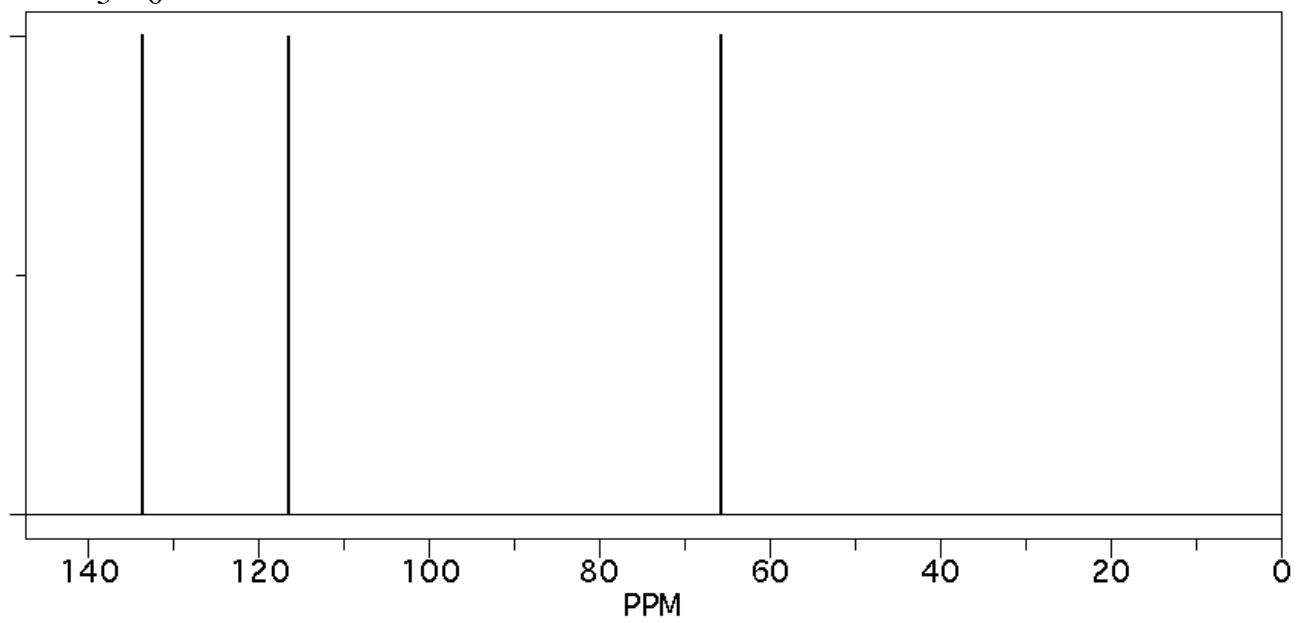
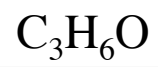
***Some specific values are included in tables Section IV your text book!***



$$\text{IHD} = 2$$







IHD = 1

